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Bridgewater.

Miss Florence Baker is entertaining friends from the city this week.

We are pleased to have the X. T. C. Club revived in Bridgewater again.

James Baker, of Bridgewater, has gone to the mountains on his vacation.

Daniel Larer broke his wrist while attempting to catch a high ball at school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Biddle spent Sunday with some friends in Philadelphia.

William McCormick, of Oak Lane, was visiting friends in Bridgewater last week.

The Misses Baker entertained a number of their relatives and friends on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hope Dewitt entertained a number of their friends one day last week.

The first teachers' meeting of this term was held last Friday at the Eddington School.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson entertained a number of friends and relations on Sunday.

Miss Mary Gould, of Philadelphia, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Snyder, on Saturday.

Mrs. Rousseau and daughter, Mrs. Albert Lewis, of Bridgewater, spent Friday in Philadelphia.

Miss Elizabeth Nelson, of Philadelphia, spent her vacation with Miss Mary Cryer, of Bridgewater.

Miss Edna Pike, of Philadelphia, spent part of her vacation with the Misses Dager, of Bridgewater.

Miss Cecelia Snyder, of Cornwells, has returned to Perkasie to teach the same school she taught last year.

Misses Laura and May Dager, of Bridgewater, entertained their aunt from Germantown on Friday of last week.

George Cherry has returned from his vacation. He spent a very enjoyable time at Niagara Falls and surrounding places.

Oliver Reynolds, of Wissinoming, was visiting his mother, Mrs. John Reynolds, of Bridgewater, on Friday of last week.

Mrs. William Blaire has had a very severe illness, but is now convalescing under the care of Dr. George Stroup, of Eddington.

Mrs. Sarah Allen has gone to Cape May for several weeks for her health. Mrs. Allen has not been well for several weeks past.

Miss Mary McFadden has returned to her position in Bristol this week after being on a vacation of two weeks, which she spent at home.

The cottage prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Snyder, of Bridgewater, on Wednesday evening at 7.45.

Miss Mary Harrigan, of Cornwells, was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McFadden, of Bridgewater, on Sunday last.

Estelle Allen, of Bridgewater, will not teach in Delaware as she did last year, but has accepted a position as a teacher near Moorestown, N. J.

Mrs. John Firth and Miss Estelle Firth, of Philadelphia, were visiting their cousin, Mrs. Josepha Vandegrift, of Bridgewater, on Saturday.

Mrs. McCrea and daughter, who have been spending their vacation in Bridgewater, with Rev. and Mrs. Hope Dewitt, have returned to their home in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Vandegrift, Clarendon Vandegrift and Miss Louise Sickles, all of Oak Lane, were visiting George and Miss Georgiana Vandegrift, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Baker, who have their summer residence in Bridgewater, attended a church carnival at their city church on Thursday and Friday of last week.

E. L. Loux, State Orchard Inspector, has about completed a two years' inspection of trees and shrubbery in Bucks county. He visited Bridgewater and vicinity recently.

Nearly all the club house people have gone to their homes after spending a very enjoyable summer in their bungalows along the Neshaminy Creek and the Delaware River.

Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, will lecture at Cornwells on the 9th of September. "Old Rags and Iron" will be his topic. The proceeds will go for the benefit of the Methodist Church in Cornwells.

Dr. and Mrs. George H. Stroup expect to spend the month of October in traveling. Dr. J. Morris Carter, of Philadelphia, will attend the doctor's patients at his sanitarium in Eddington while Dr. Stroup is away.

J. P. Vandegrift's woodshed and grounds have been thoroughly gone over and cleansed of all rubbish and eye-sores to his neighbors, and is now ready for inspection, but let him that thinketh he standeth, take heed lest he fall. Any one wishing boxes or barrels for packing purposes can find them at J. P's.

Penns Manor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenlee are entertaining Mrs. Olcott, of Moorestown, N. J.

Miss Lillian Grant, of Trenton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Ivins the past two weeks.

Mrs. Howard W. Carter will be Christian Endeavor leader next Sunday evening. Topic—"Commending our Society. II. By supplying church workers."

Rev. John Girton preached a very impressive sermon in the Chapel last Sunday evening. His text was found in Matt. 13 : 46—"The Pearl of Great Price." Mrs. Girton sang a solo, "Saved from the Wreck."

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold a "Mum" Social at the home of S. T. Patterson on Saturday evening, September 19th. A fine will be imposed upon those who cannot keep "mum,"—five cents for a smile, ten cents for a hearty laugh, also a fine for talking. Prizes will be awarded. Proceeds to be used to purchase a new Bible for the Chapel. Refreshments will be served. Everyone is invited to meet with us and have a good time.

Newportville.

Elwood Goslin, of Morrisville, spent Sunday with his grandfather, Samuel Goslin.

Master Norris Muth fell from a tree on the church lot on Saturday and severely cut his head.

Miss Elizabeth Mathews left her home last week to take up her duties as teacher at Belmar, N. J.

The building of the basement of the Union Church was begun on Monday morning by Henry Douglass, of Hulmeville.

William Minster, wife and baby, Lewis, of Bristol, spent Sunday with Mrs. Minster's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rose.

Mrs. Alonzo Vandegrift and Miss Annie Vanzant, of Trenton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vanzant on Thursday of last week.

The illustrated lecture, "Sunshine and Flowers," given by Prof. Johnson in the school house on Wednesday evening of last week, was well patronized by both patrons and scholars. All spent an enjoyable evening.

Newtown.

George P. Sacks has an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. T. S. Kenderdine and Mrs. J. C. Burrill are at Buck Hill Falls.

Isaiah Heston, an aged farmer in the township, has been sick the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Beans are at the "Archdale," Atlantic City for a short stay.

The George School opened this week with a very full school and fine corps of teachers.

Mrs. Robert Eastburn is visiting relatives and friends in different towns in New York State.

Miss Fannie Scott has been appointed a teacher in a primary school in Atlantic county, N. J.

Mrs. Sara F. Cary tendered a reception to about twenty-five of her friends on Wednesday evening.

Albert Twining, of Asbury Park, is visiting his brother, Jacob Twining, on Washington avenue.

Morrell Smith and Harold Roberts returned to State College this week to continue their studies.

Mrs. Sara A. McCoun has returned home after a pleasant summer spent among the hills of Vermont.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webster, of Frankford, were week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Vanartsdalen.

The W. C. T. U. will hold a bake sale at the residence of Mrs. Stephen Vandegrift next Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred LeRoy, of Tarrytown, N. Y., have been guests of Captain and Mrs. Thomas P. Chambers.

Mrs. Harriet W. Cary and son, Webster, have returned home after spending the summer at Brattleboro, Vermont.

Mrs. Permelia Conrad and children, Rachel and Alfred, have been spending a week at Griscom Fall, Buck Hill Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Hicks have returned from New York, where they were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hough.

Mrs. M. S. Buckman and sister, Miss Sallie B. Taylor, have been visiting friends in their former home in Frenchtown, N. J.

A number of ladies of our town attended the County W. C. T. U. Convention, held at Richboro, on Saturday, September 12th.

About eighty friends of Edward A. Burns visited him last Friday evening, and congratulated him on his 21st birthday anniversary.

Rev. C. O. Maltby, of Paterson, N. J., formerly pastor of the First Baptist Church of this town, was a caller in town a few days ago.

George D. Hibbs represented the Northern Star Castle, No. 121, A. O. K., of M. C. at the Select Castle which met at Harrisburg last week.

Miss Elizabeth K. Eyre returned to New Haven on Monday to resume her work as teacher in physical training in the New Haven Normal School of Gymnastics.

Word has been received that Herbert C. Dresser, of Charlotte, North Carolina, formerly of our town, has been married to a young lady of Columbus, Georgia.

Miss Fannie Rubinkam, for many years a resident of our town, has relinquished housekeeping and will go to board at the Presbyterian Home in West Philadelphia.

Paul Wilson started on Wednesday for Ann Arbor, where he is a senior in Michigan University. He will visit the family of his brother, Jesse Wilson, at Altoona, on his way to the West.

Mrs. H. C. Thornton and Miss Mary Goodman, who have been summering at Cousin's Island, Maine, returned home on Thursday, as did, also, Mrs. M. Amanda Heston and Miss Maggie Mather, who have been with them.

Captain William Wynkoop, president of the School Board, tendered a reception to the school teachers, the directors and their wives, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Elms, the County Superintenent, J. H. Hoffman, and others at his home on Washington avenue, last Thursday evening.

Fallsington.

Mrs. Roy Wildman still remains quite ill.

Mrs. Elizabeth Haines has returned from Philadelphia.

Mrs. Mary White, who has been quite ill, is somewhat improved.

Emily Batley, of Langhorne, was a visitor at Charles Carver's on Monday.

Miss Mary Roberts, of Swedesboro, was the guest of Helen McClossey last week.

The L. T. L. met at the home of Howard Satterthwaite on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Arthur Clifford and children, from near Pennington, have been visiting friends around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert White and wife, of Hackensack, and Harvey White, of Perth Amboy, were recent visitors at William Watson's.

The General Meeting of the Primitive Friends was held here on Third and Fourth day last week. One of the ministers present was Thomas Davidson, of England.

Dr. Walton, of Jenkintown, with his wife and son, have been taking a driving tour through the lower end of the county, visiting old friends and acquaintances. Dr. Walton, some years ago, was a practicing physician in Tullytown.

Tacie Satterthwaite, teacher of the Intermediate school, has been unable to teach on account of illness. Her sister, Mrs. John, Satterthwaite, a former teacher, has been taking her place the past week. Another teacher from West Chester has now taken her place.

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Hulmeville.

Dr. E. S. Huntsman was a visitor in Philadelphia last Friday.

Miss Ellen Shields, of Bristol, spent Sunday at the home of her parents.

Norman Black, of Emilie, was calling on relatives in town on Sunday.

Aaron Knight, of Langhorne, was a visitor in town on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Jennie Harrison, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday in town.

Mrs. J. J. Houston spent the latter part of last week with relatives in Chester.

Miss Florence Witham, of Trenton, was the guest of the Misses Tilton, on Sunday.

Joseph Ketterline, of Wayne, was calling on friends in town on Monday afternoon.

Miss Reba Knight, of Langhorne, was calling on friends in town one afternoon last week.

Joseph Hertzel, of Philadelphia, was visiting his sisters in town a few days last week.

Albert Abrams and family, of Newportville, spent Sunday with George C. Soby and family.

John Wilson and family, of Trenton, were the guests of Howard Vansant and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Kirk MacCorkle were visiting relatives near Reading on Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Edward J. Bicking, of Philadelphia, was visiting friends in town the latter part of last week.

Kennedy Joyce and family, of near Emilie, were visiting relatives in town on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Aaron Stackhouse, of near Emilie, was calling on Charles F. Laros and family on Saturday.

Mrs. James Stackhouse has been spending a few days in Byberry with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stackhouse.

Contractor Henry Douglass has been awarded the contract for the Union Church to be built at Newportville.

Mrs. Pauline Borsch, who has been spending several months at her home in Austria, has returned to Hulmeville.

Edward Madden and family, of Philadelphia, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Madden's father, John Reed.

Miss Maggie Mahan, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday afternoon and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Lillie Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jenks and children, of Cornwells, were the guests of Bertice Douglass and family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gillingham, of Langhorne, spent Sunday afternoon with his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Gillingham.

Miss Alice Harrison, of Washington, D. C., who has been spending the past month with her sister, returned home last Friday.

Raymond and Theron Hick have gone to Upland, Indiana, to enter Taylor's University. This is Theron's second year.

Mrs. E. S. Huntsman, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. G. Harrison, at Washington, D. C., has returned home.

The teachers of Middletown district held their regular meeting at the home of Principal E. W. Martindell, last Friday evening.

Misses Sallie and Bella Gill, of Philadelphia, were visiting their brother, Harry, and family on Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Morris and grandson, of Holmesburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Parsons, on Sunday.

Mrs. Amy Worthington and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown and son returned home last Friday from a five days' stay at Asbury Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Woolston Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Van Dael and son, of Philadephia, spent Sunday with George Douglass and family.

Mrs. Veronica Ennis, who has been spending the summer with her granddaughter, Mrs. R. R. Paxson, left for Chester on Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. Louis A. Ridge and her daughter, Mrs. A. R. Pyle, who have been spending the summer at their summer home, returned to Philadelphia on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel O'Donnell and John O'Donnell, of Jenkintown, Mrs. John P. Currans and Mrs. A. Trager, of Philadelphia, were the guests of Ewald Reetz and family on Sunday.

Daniel Crosson, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Crosson, and their grandson, Raymond Willett, of Trenton, who has been spending the summer with them, returned to his home the forepart of the week.

Andalusia.

Lewis Walton spent last Sunday at Wilmington.

Miss Eleanor Brown made a visit to Miss Ethel Freas last week.

The Chapel Sunday School will resume its briefly interrupted sessions on Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Eastman went to New York City on Monday to take a position as teacher in one of the schools.

Mrs. Kirk and her children, spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Darrah, now in Andalusia.

The special benevolence to be remembered at the Chapel offering on Sunday afternoon is that of the Episcopal Tract Society.

A garden-party for general church purposes in connection with missions and for parochial purposes, as well, is to be held in Torresdale early next month. We shall hope to give further details a little later on.

The recent opening of the fall term at our public school showed an unusually large number for a first day's attendance. Miss Piper's department (the senior) numbers at today's writing 31 pupils, Miss Muschert's (the junior) has 47.

To speak facetiously, neighbor Corson is a "first-rate feller." His exploits in that direction were the object of great interest on Tuesday afternoon when small boys and girls galore watched him as he, with Gladstonian fervor, cut down one of the large trees on his estate, near the postoffice, and this manifested his deep interest in village improvement. We wish, also, to praise the young landscape artist, who on the opposite side of the way, has also done a work that materially improves the general aesthetic effect of our main highway.

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THE COUNTY CAPITAL

The News of the Week in Doylestown as Gathered by Our Special Correspondent.

Doylestown, Sept. 15, 1908.

Cooks in the political kitchens have begun to get busy. They've fired up the ranges and the things are beginning to boil. Two weeks ago political matters were about as much thought of as snow, but that time is past, and from now on until November other discussions will be laid on the shelf.

An indication that this is to be a real political campaign is made known in several ways, but the most significant is the fact that the Republican Club has thought it necessary to have a marching club, something that has not been known here since Cleveland was a candidate for the Presidential chair. Talk of the "prospects" is always on the tongue now. And, isn't it strange? That little Local Option flea has grown to be a troublesome critter. Mighty troublesome! So decidedly annoying that conservative men concede it from 2000 to 4000 votes this fall. Getting pretty close to a dangerous limit, isn't it? Something over 5000 would win, for the total vote in the county is not over 16,000. Now the question is: Which one of the great parties is the movement going to take the most votes from? And, when you stop to think that the liquor question cut down the Republican majority in the great State of Maine to 8000, would you want to bet very much that the Local Optionists would not have an even greater number than 4000 votes in this county? That is the way some of the politicians are looking at it here. There is no trouble learning that much. Chance remarks show it every day to any person. It is not necessary to be a Local Optionist to see it that way.

SHOT AFTER A BOY.

Boyish temptation to "swipe" a bunch of grapes from an arbor on an unfenced lot along a public street resulted in Louis Corsner, aged 11 years, getting the worst scare of his life, Monday.

Louis was going to school with some companions when he saw the grapes on the property of Fred Smith, an elderly, well-known resident of the town, and he started to get a bunch. Mr. Smith, who was laying in wait for just such an emergency, shouted at the youngsters and at the same time ran after Corsner shooting a revolver. Whether he shot directly at the child is not known, because accounts vary somewhat. But, at any rate, he pursued the child for nearly two squares and his shooting after the fleeing youth brought scores of people to their front doors. Abandonment of the chase by Mr. Smith, who is being roundly criticized, did not stop the boy. He was so badly scared that he ran nearly a mile and then hid himself so effectually that friends of the mother, who was nearly frantic when she heard her son had been shot, did not succeed in finding him for several hours.

There is talk of an arrest.

LADIES' NATURE CLUB.

Doylestown's Nature Club met, yesterday, and completed arrangements for joining the National Audubon Society, and for a canal-boat trip next month.

One of the most interesting features of the club's work, recently, was the organization of "Nature Guards" among the pupils of the public schools. The little folks take up with the idea very heartily and the movement will undoubtedly succeed in abating childish cruelties to dumb animals and in instilling a love of Nature in their minds.

DROVE OF COLTS.

Those of you who have never seen a drove of colts have missed a deal of pleasure. Fifty of them were brought here and sold this week, and attracted a great deal of attention and good prices. Farmers seemed to think it was the chance of their lives for they paid as high as $87 apiece for the little animals, some of which were only three months old. The average price paid was about $46. Postmaster E. Wesley Keeler was among the purchasers.

Women were numerous in the crowd of 400 which gathered, and a wag who was present voiced the feeling of all when he exclaimed: "Hold 'em up so we can see 'em." Such little bits of things! It almost seemed as though you could pick 'em up, but no one attempted it. One young fellow who did attempt to stop two that were running away was bumped in the face for his trouble.

BRISTOL TOWNSHIP BRIDGE.

Bristol township is to have a concrete bridge. The County Commissioners awarded the contract, Monday afternoon, to Sigafoos & Poore for $1589. The next lowest bid was $1600.

THE SENATOR ANNOYED.

Senator Grim was annoyed yesterday. He was not only annoyed, he was puzzled— And it was all because the Republican Club failed to put the name of his opponent for the Superior Court Judgeship on the big banner hung across State street. The Senator couldn't understand it. There seemed no answer, but he brightened up perceptibly when he thought that perhaps the Republicans in Bucks county were not going to take any active steps against him. But that was soon squashed when County Chairman Bean, in answer to a newspaper query, explained: "Oh, why, you see, our banner was only so big, and we couldn't get it on. Besides that, we didn't think it worth while."

ROLLEY RECEIVERSHIP.

An application was made to Judge Stout on Thursday afternoon by the Union Trust Company of Maryland, at Baltimore, representing a number of bonds, asked the Court to vacate the appointment of receivers for the Bristol, Trenton and Philadelphia Electric Railway Company.

The Trust Company is represented by John C. Bell, Ex-District Attorney, of Philadelphia, and the receivers by William C. Ryan, Esq., of Doylestown.

Judge Stout is holding the matter under advisement.

CIRCLED THE COUNTY.

Arriving in town, Friday, Lewis E. Taylor regaled his friends with accounts of his pedestrian trip around Bucks county which he undertook on a wager that he could not do it in four days. "I lost the bet," says Taylor, "for it took me five days and eight hours, but I got my expenses." Taylor says this is the second time he has made the trip circling the Founder's County.

AUTOMOBILE PARTIES.

Owners of automobiles in the County Seat can count on about one day a week for charity work. That is, they are almost sure to be called into service by one or another of the churches which have been having an epidemic of automobile rides for some time past.

Many people, you know, never had an opportunity to ride in a horseless vehicle, and when the chance is offered here at 10 cents per ride there is always a crush. Not less than 400 passengers have been carried every time the automobiles have been out for the churches and that means profitable business—for the churches. As for the owners of the machines they are principally business men who can't very well refuse, but they can kick, and they do it to their friends. "Look at that machine," said one of them. "Battered, scratched and scraped. Besides that it costs money to run a machine and there is the wear and tear. But what can we do? If we refuse it may hurt our business; so there we are—up against it."

So thank your lucky stars that you don't own a bubble.

TEACHERS' INSTITUTE.

Vacation over, the teacher and pupils are now looking forward to the time when County Institute will call the 400 teachers to Doylestown and another rest.

County Superintendent has about completed arrangements for the sessions which will be held October 26-30, inclusive.

FOR RAPID READING.

Bass fishermen are returning daily with good catches.

James Garner shot a large crane, Saturday, along the Neshaminy.

By a fall George Grim, son of Senator Grim, broke his collar bone last week.

Sixth District Sunday school workers will hold their convnetion at New Britain, October 10th.

Thomas Lyons has a happy smile that won't come off. The baby arrived last week and it's Miss Lyons.

Upon being convicted of peddling, Charles Asher, of this place, was sent to jail in default of paying a $50 fine.

Theodore Michener and Mrs. Emma C. Lear, of Plumstead, were married here, Saturday, by Rev. C. W. Jefferis.

The engagement of Miss Mary Mason, a former resident of Doylestown, to Samuel Shaw, of Pittsburg, has been announced.

Coroner White went to Pipersville, Monday, to investigate the suicide of Joseph Worman, an aged man, who hanged himself with a plow line.

A marriage license has been issued to James H. Cotman and Debbie Chambers, of Bristol; Guiseppe Triola and Vienza Passamanto, of Bristol.

Company G will have many guests, Saturday, at its rifle range at Edison, as a battalion shoot will be held with four new teams from each company.

Miss Mabel K. Plymire, who graduated from the High school in the class of 1908, left Monday to take a course at the Millersville State Normal School.

Doylestown walloped North Wales, Saturday, by the score of 13 to 4, but the attendance has been so poor lately that Manager Botti has decided to have no more games here.

Warriors of Sciota Tribe, I. O. R. M., went to Jones' woods, Sunday, and in full Redskin costume arranged a genuine Indian village, of which several photographs were taken.

Mary Williams, of Northampton township, has been declared insane by a commission in lunacy composed of Dr. E. E. Pownall, Henry A. James, Esq., and Joseph C. Slack.

Deputy Sheriff William A. Paxson and Noah L. Clark took part in the shoot at Lansdale on Saturday. Paxson broke 54 rocks out of a possible 60 and Clark got 70 out of a possible 80.

Edward R. Kirk, of Pineville, has been elected treasurer of the Farmers' & Mechanics' Mutual Insurance Association of Bucks county to succeed John S. Williams, of New Hope, who has filled the position for eighteen years and resigned recently.

Frank McIntyre, a former resident of Doylestown, who has been living in Lansdale for several years, died, Saturday, at the Philadelphia Hospital. Mr. McIntyre was picked up unconscious on the street eleven weeks ago but never recovered consciousness after being taken to the hospital. His illness baffled the physicians.

This week the Rod and Gun Club received 2500 small fish to be used in stocking local streams and they were placed in the Neshaminy and Pine Run. There were 13 cans of sunfish, 9 cans of catfish and 4 cans of tadpoles. Experts have nearly cleaned the streams of sunfish in the last few seasons and the re-stocking with these had become a necessity.

DIRECT FROM THE PEOPLE.

"The enollment at the close of the Doylestown Public Schools, yesterday, was 461. The attendance has been very good and everything is in first-class shape and running smoothly."—Carmon Ross, Principal.

"We are being more than flooded with wheat at this time. The 'fly' has made its appearance and most of the farmers are threshing their wheat and getting it to the mill. So far we have had but very little 'fly' and hope it will continue that way."—Henry S. Beidler.

"There will be no Sheriff's sales of real estate this week. I haven't found anybody who can remember the time when there was no Sheriff's sales, during the week preceding September term of Court."—Sheriff Albert S. Paxson.

"I am getting out the tax collection books for the Justices of the Peace, and I want to tell you that this new adding machine the County Commissioners bought is one of the greatest helps I ever had."—Christopher S. Gulick, Deputy County Treasurer.

"Farmers up in the northern part of Maine, where I was, recently, raised an enormous crop of potatoes this year. One man planted two barrels of seed potatoes and picked 87 barrels of potatoes. Another farmer had 400 acres of potatoes and got 125 barrels to the acre. They made a specialty of potatoes and put a great deal more time on them than we do around this part of the country. They fertilize more, spray and take out every weed. Then, when the crop is ready, the French and Swedish pickers come over from Canada by the carload. Whole families come to the farms and live in tents until the work is done."—I. B. Mills.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.

Bristol—John T. Thorn to Serrill Douglass, lot, $900; Michael Ferry to Mary Catharine Ferry, lot, $600.

Bensalem township—Fannie W. Vanartsdalen to Mifflin Dallas Cornell, lot, $1750.

At Christie's, over $1135 or $35 an ounce was paid recently for an old William and Mary silver monteth, dated 1688.

The Emperor Menelik is an ardent motorist. He has sent three Abyssinian boys to Berlin to be trained as chauffeurs.

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WALTER E. ROBB, Treasurer.

Langhorne.

Miss Alice Knight is now teaching in St. Claire.

Miss Grace T. Pryor has returned from the shore.

Miss Mary Knight has returned to West Chester Normal.

Miss Dora Lovett of Emilie, is the guest of Miss Lily H. Ridge.

Miss Anna Search Cliff left for Smiths College on Wednesday.

M. E. Cooper Shapley will close his summer home early in October.

Miss Mae Farlane, of Trenton, was a recent visitor at Stephen L. Kirk's.

Mrs. Abraham Vanartsdalen, who has been critically ill, is improving.

Miss Ida Buckman, of Trenton, has been visiting Miss Edith Mitchell.

Miss Wallace, of Philadelphia, was a recent guest of Mrs. Alfred Marshall.

Norman T. Esherick and Furman Marshall have returned from camping.

Mrs. Carrie V. Jamison, of Trenton, was a recent guest of Mrs. Frank Linton.

Miss Jewell M. Harding has been visiting relatives at Dolington and elsewhere.

Mrs. Anna Roberts and Miss Cora Roberts have been spending a week at Wildwood.

Mrs. Matilda Gruger has moved to Roselle and will make her home with her daughter.

Mrs. Harry Spencer, who is dangerously ill with diphtheria, is reported as improving.

Mrs. David J Matlack and Pierson S. Fretz and family moved to Jenkintown on Wednesday.

Miss Ethel Marshall, who has been spending several months abroad, expects to return this week.

Miss Laura White and Mrs. Morton, of Newtown, were calling on friends in Langhorne on Monday.

Mamaduke Saxton will move from Marshall avenue to the B. F. Ridge property on Bellevue avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews and Miss Alyse Matthews have gone via auto to the White Mountains.

Mrs. Edward Hibbs and daughter, of Norristown, spent several days with Mrs. Joseph Hibbs, recently.

Among recent visitors were James G. Paxson, of Plainfield, N. J., and Samuel Kennedy, of New York.

Mrs. Bond, mother of Rev. B. F. Bond, formerly minister of the M. E. Church, is visiting Mrs. John LeCompte.

Miss Slack, of Forrest Grove, the new instructor of the High School, makes her home with Mrs. Howard Worthington.

Mr. Robinson, of Philadelphia, and Miss Josephine Ambler, of Haddonfield, were recent visitors of Mrs. Eliza Ambler.

Mrs. Benjamin Harvey, widow of Rev. Harvey, late minister to the M. E. Church, has been visiting her many friends here.

Mary Travilla, of West Chester, expects to attend Friends meeting, September 20th, at 10 a. m. The Firstday School will begin at 11.15.

On Saturday, September 19th, at the B. C. C. C. there will be a subscription dinner dance, the first for the season of 1908 and promises to be a most pleasant occasion.

Miss Helen V. Randall, for seven years so satisfactorily managing the Foulke and Long Institute, has accepted a very promising position in a prominent school of New York State.

Cards was the attraction of the B. C. C. C. on Saturday evening, when a very pleasant evening was spent in playing bridge and 500. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Allen R. Mitchell, Jr., and much satisfaction was expressed over the selection of prizes. The successful players were Mrs. Laird Shober, Norman Esherick, first; Miss Edith Mitchell and Mr. Robinson, second, in whist. The honors in 500 were won by Miss Ida Buckman, of Trenton, and Pierson M. Candy.

Oxford Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hess are visiting in Philadelphia.

C. E. leader next Sunday evening will be Mrs. C. Y. Stradling.

James Paxson, of Plainfield, N. J., was a caller here on Monday.

Miss Ella Wilcox is attending Rider's Business College in Trenton.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Ahlum, on Friday of last week.

Mrs. C. Y. Stradling attended the W. C. T. U. county convention at Richboro last Saturday.

Miss Mildred Spencer entertained a few friends in honor of her birthday on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Oliver Wharton and daughters attended a reunion of the Carroll family at Willow Grove last Saturday.

Mrs. McShelfry, of Philadelphia, who has been spending some time at George Hess's, returned to her home last week.

There will be preaching in the Chapel next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by Rev. B. F. Palst. Come to help and be helped.

Mr. and Mrs. Everitt Freeman and son, of Newtown, and Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Rue, of Edgely, were entertained at Charles Rue's on Sunday.

Tullytown.

Among our young people attending school in Trenton are Frances Fabian and Raymond Dunk. Lester Shoemaker resumes his studies at George School this week.

Former Mayor Emory N. Yard, of Trenton, will deliver the address at the evening service in the M. E. Church next Sunday. Two of Trenton's favorite singers will also take part in the service. Rally Day will be observed the Sunday following.

At the regular meeting of the school board on Monday evening, it was decided to provide the school with a well of water, instead of depending, as heretofore, upon the carrying of water from neighbors who do not like to be annoyed by the children. The subject of school attendance was also considered, and the directors are unanimous in the opinion that the law must be enforced. If the board of education fails to enforce the law regarding compulsory attendance the state authorities will refuse to pay a part of the appropriation to the school district. Therefore, it is to the interests of all taxpayers to see that the children under their control shall be regularly in school as the law provides. The teachers report attendance in the grammar department as thirty-five and in the primary department as forty-eight.

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So thoroughly is the system of housewifery taught in Belgian schools that the girls even have a little garden for growing poisonous plants that might, by those not so informed, be mistaken for some kitchen vegetables.

Eden.

George Brelsford is having his windmill repaired.

Mrs. Frederic Lentz entertained her mother on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederic Parker have purchased an upright piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg and youngest daughter spent the week-end at Clifton Heights.

Byron Bailey was confined to the house the greater part of last week by tonsilitis.

The morocco mill resumed operations on Monday after a "lay over" of about two weeks.

A great many tramps are around, one family having fed three in less than a week.

Miss Erda Schatt, of Hulmeville, was a visitor at Mrs. George Cutler's on Saturday.

Mrs. Meavoy, of Chester, is spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. George Cutler.

Mrs. Frederic Rumpf, Sr., has broken her little toe, a most curious and unheard of accident.

The annual "Harvest Home" was held at the Lutheran Church on Sunday night, with very appropriate decorations.

George E. Patterson and family attended the annual reunion of the Hagaman family, which was held on Saturday outside of Newtown.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin H. Bilger and son, Elwood, and Mrs. Dunn, have returned from a visit with the latter's son, William, at Asbury Park.

After a long and tedious illness, Louis Steeble, one of our oldest residents and formerly of Langhorne, passed away on Thursday night. He is survived by a widow, four sons and one daughter, who have the sympathy of the community in their loss. The funeral services were held on Saturday evening, Rev. Ritter, of this town, and Rev. Palst, of Langhorne, being the officiating ministers. Interment was at Woodlands Cemetery on Sunday afternoon.

TEMPERANCE CAUSE.

Edited by Bristol W. C. T. U.

In the theatre of the Crystal Palace, London, Cardinal Manning was addressing a great meeting of the members of a temperance organization. "I will confess to you," he said, "that I do not practice what I preach. I am not a total abstainer myself, because my doctor won't let me be one." Thereupon a voice came from the topmost gallery, "Change your doctor." "Thank you for the hint," said the Cardinal, "I will." And he did, becoming from that time a total abstainer.

Men are living today who are induced to sign the pledge by Abraham Lincoln's convincing arguments. That he thoroughly appreciated the menace of liquor evils is evidenced by his declaration on the very day of his tragic death, that "the next snarl we have got to straighten out is the liquor question."—C. A. Phelps, in Broadway Magazine.

The license system, declares Dr. Aked, is treason against the people. It is the typical crime of the universe—the crime which consists in seeking one's own pleasure or one's own profit with absolute indifference to the cost of the pleasure or profit to other people. Its cost is human suffering. The price of it is the price of blood.

Where the saloon exists it damns ten souls for every one that all the churches save. It cannot be right, and nothing can make it right, that all these forces of love and pity and philanthropy, the life-forces of any nation, should be perverted and rendered barren by the wanton selfishness of the careless, the ignorant, the indifferent, and the bad.—Dr. Charles F. Aked, in Appleton's for July.

Many times we have seen the brightest minds go down into obscurity at mid-day because of indulgence in intoxicants. We have heard the brilliant orator, when sober, upon whose words multitudes have hung entranced, become stammering, maudlin, and go down into oblivion under the degrading influences of alcoholic intoxicants. We have known many men and women to go from the greatest promise of the highest success down into the darkness and infamy of crime and degradation under the same influence.—Pacific Christian Advocate.

Dr. Lorenz, the Austrian surgeon, declining wine at a banquet tendered to him in New York, said: "I cannot say that I am a temperance agitator, but I am a surgeon. My success depends upon my brain being clear, my muscles firm and my nerves steady. No one can take alcoholic liquors without blunting these physical powers, which I must always keep on edge. As a surgeon, I must not drink."

In his "Empire of Business," Mr. Andrew Carnegie declares that the first and most seductive peril, the destroyer of young men, is the drinking of liquor. "I am no temperance lecturer in disguise," he adds, "but a man who knows and tells what his observation has proved to him; and I say to you that you are more likely to fall in your career from acquiring the habit of drinking liquor than from any or all the other temptations likely to assail you. You may yield to almost any other temptation and reform—may brace up—and, if not recover lost ground, at least remain in the race, and secure and maintain a respectable position. But from the insane thirst for liquor escape is almost impossible. I have known but few exceptions to this rule."

This was the sad lament of the genial essayist, Charles Lamb:

"The waters have gone over me, but out of the black depths, could I be heard, I would cry out to all those who have but set a foot in the perilous flood. Could the youth, to whom the flavor of his first wine is delicious as the opening scenes of life, or the entering upon some newly discovered paradise, look into my desolation and be made to understand what a dreary thing it is when a man shall feel himself going down a precipice with open eyes and a passive will, to see his destruction and have no power to stop it, and yet to feel it all the way emanating from himself, to perceive all goodness emptied out of him and yet not to be able to forget a time when it was otherwise, to bear about the piteous spectacle of his own self-ruin; could he see my fevered eye, feverish with last night's drinking, and feverishly looking forward to this night's repetition of the folly—could he feel the body of death out of which I cry hourly with feebler outcry to be delivered, it were enough to make him dash the sparkling beverage to the earth in all the pride of its mantling temptation."

Bensalem Teachers' Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bensalem teachers was held at the Eddington School, Friday, September 11.

After the roll call the first in order was the election of officers for the ensuing year as follows: President, Mr. Harstein; vice president, Miss Muschert; secretary, Miss Walker; treasurer, Miss Piper; corresponding secretary, Miss Lowrie; musical director, Miss Scott.

After the discussion of current events, the programme was arranged for the meeting of October 9th.

ANNA LOWRIE, Sec'y.

Not every woman knows that the practice of dyeing the hair comes from the harems of the East, where they even try experiments in hair coloring on babies two or three years old.

MARGARET

A Tragic Tale of the Old Bath Mansion.

By James F. Gallagher.

During the course of an evening walk my old story telling friend, David, and I chanced to pass by the ruined Bath mansion, at Bristol, and he being in a reminiscent mood spoke of the days when the resort was in the zenith of its prosperity being, so to speak, the Saratoga of colonial days. While he was speaking I recalled a legend of a young girl whom late travellers declared might be seen standing at the mansion gate on moonlight nights looking wistfully across the waters, and, accordingly, requested my venerable friend to tell the tale. The old man smiled, and sitting down upon a fallen tree told the following; a tale which speaks eloquently of a woman's unfaltering devotion, and of a man's early love which sustained him in the darkest hours of his long weary search for his lost sweetheart, a withered love-blossom, so to speak, whose fragrance floated down the years sweetening the winter of old age wherein few flowers of affection ever bud or bloom.

The narrative takes us back to the days when the roll-call of the "minute men" on Boston Common echoed across the broad Atlantic and aroused King George from his lethargic sleep. Washington had fortified Dorchester Heights overlooking Boston, so on the 17th of March, 1776, General Howe, considering prudence the better part of valor, decided to evacuate the city and retire with his army and followers to Halifax. Among the loyal subjects who inhabited the city up to the time of the evacuation, none surpassed John Mayfair in devotion to the King. He believed in the Crown as he believed in the Established Church; and at the conclusion of every meal drank a silent toast to the success of the English arms. He had come over in the retinue of the royal governor, bringing with him an only child, whose mother had sacrificed her own life in giving birth to their first-born babe.

The off-spring was a comely black-eyed lass of seventeen summers; and during the first year of her American residence attended a private school in Boston's fashionable quarter, where she chanced to meet Clifford Morton, a dashing young Puritan who traced his ancestry back to the "Pilgrim Fathers," and who accordingly took up the cause of the colonists with a spirit that was thoroughly in keeping with his Puritanical training. A mutual attachment sprang up between the daughter of the aristocrat and the young rebel, a knowledge of which I need scarcely add, was jealously kept from the girl's father. At the breaking out of hostilities the young recruit rode off at the head of his regiment with the epaulets of a Captain upon his broad shoulders and a "Book of Common Prayer," the parting gift of his loyalist sweetheart, stowed away in an inner pocket.

Just previous to the evacuation John Mayfair started on a secret governmental errand to Philadelphia accompanied by his daughter who always acted in the capacity of secretary to him. A trip from Boston to Philadelphia was not so pleasant in those days as in this age of rapid transit so that when the old loyalist reached Bristol he was completely worn out, and compelled to take to his bed. On the fifth evening after their arrival the aged father fell into a quiet doze, and the daughter taking advantage of this brief respite threw a light shawl over her shoulders and went out on the lawn for a few moments walk in the open air. It was a beautiful evening; the first faint breath of the early spring was in the atmosphere; high above the moon was shining in all her silvery splendor amidst the countless stars that flecked the azure dome through the trees the lake could be seen dimly reflecting stars and sky as the souls of little children reflect the image of God.

So enraptured was the fair Margaret with the enchanting view and the happy thoughts suggested that she failed to notice a traveler coming up the road, until his hand was upon the gate. She was about to retrace her steps and enter the house when the stranger called her by name. Turning quickly she was astonished to see Captain Cranford, an officer in the King's army, whose offer of marriage she had rejected previous to leaving Boston, standing before her. As it is always pleasant to meet a familiar face in a strange place, Margaret smiled and extended her hand in greeting. The Captain thinking it a fair omen renewed his suit with a fervor that was as startling as it was displeasing to the fair lass, but she quickly controlled her rising excitement, and in a calm, even voice slightly tinged with sadness, again told him of the utter hopelessness of his love and begged him in gentlest tones to forget her in the sunshine of another's smiles. Enraged by the girl's second refusal the Captain so far forgot his honor as to draw his sword against a defenseless woman and bury the blade in her heart. Horrified at the awful crime he had committed he hurried from the scene. But the vengeance of God was upon him and he was shot later on by his own men for desertion during the battle of Germantown.

When the news of his daughter's death was brought to the old man he sank into a heavy stupor from which he never recovered, dying the next morning with her name upon his lips. Having noticed the young girl attending service at the Episcopal Church on the previous Sunday the father and daughter were accordingly buried in St. James Church-yard. And it would have pleased the old loyalist greatly had he known that the bell which tolled their mournful welcome was brought from his native land across the seas as the gift of an English Queen. Shortly after the burial it began to be whispered about that on moonlight nights a white, girlish face might be seen standing at the mansion gate looking wistfully across the lake.

The long, weary war for American Independence was ended at last by the surrender of Lord Cornwallis on that-never-to-be-forgotten nineteenth of October, 1781; and that ragged army of patriots whose ardor the bitter cold of that awful winter at Valley Forge could not chill, returned to their respective homes and occupations resolving to build a national structure upon the foundations which their valor had laid, which would be an asylum for the generations of freemen yet unborn. Among that army of home hungry men none returned to its native heath with a lighter heart or brighter prospects than Clifford Morton, who looked forward to the meeting with his sweetheart with a pleasure that knew no bounds. Reaching the city of Boston he eagerly inquired for the family among the loyalists who had returned at the cessation of hostilities; but his heart sank when informed that they had left the city and had gone, no one knew where. A letter to the late governor brought the intelligence that John Mayfair had been dispatched to Philadelphia on a secret errand and had never returned; beyond that nothing was known of his, or his daughter's whereabouts.

Having been left comparatively well off at the death of his grandfather young Morton started off on a long, fruitless quest for his lost sweetheart, visiting all the large cities and towns in the colonies, and quite a number in England. When he arose in the morning the light of hope shone in his eyes; when he returned in the evening his brow would be clouded by the shadows of dispair. Finally he settled down in his native city, and tried to forget his sorrow in the stress of business. But every summer he would start off on a journey, partly to look after his business in the different cities, partly in the vain hope that he might find some trace of his lost love. Swiftly the years rolled onward, and as the lines of care and age began to show upon his own face he no longer sought her among the gay and light-hearted but rather among the grave and thoughtful. Whenever he saw a sweet, kind face upon which the roses of May had long since given place to the pensive tenderness of an autumn sunset he would gaze upon it long and earnestly, and then, turn sadly away, and begin again his weary quest.

At last old, weary and broken in health he resolved to return to his New England home and prepare himself for that long journey which knows no returning. Thus, we find him at the close of a warm summer day driving up the roadway leading to the Bath Mansion on his way home. He retired early but could not sleep, for somehow he had a vague, indefinite presentiment that his search was near its ending. After the other guests had retired he arose and donning his street attire went out on the lawn, and stood watching the moonlight dancing upon the lake. Tears came to his eyes, for the scene brought to his mind the evenings when he and Margaret sat watching the moonlight playing upon the broad waters of Boston harbor. Suddenly he became conscious of some one near him, and turning quickly around he beheld the vision that had been in his mind night and day for forty years, advancing towards him with outstretched arms and a look of mute appeal in her spirit eyes. Whether the joy of that meeting was too much for the old man's overwrought heart, or his soul had just burst forth from its frail earthly casement to join the spirit of his long-lost sweetheart, I am not prepared to say; at any rate, when the servants arose the next morning they found him cold and still with a smile of infinite contentment frozen in death upon his pale, withered lips.

In an inner pocket they discovered a copy of the Book of Common Prayer—the one that Margaret had given so long ago—and they accordingly laid him to rest with the beautiful burial service of the Episcopal Church, and by a happy chance, in a spot quite near the dust of his murdered sweetheart whose troubled soul was never more seen standing in the pale moonlight alone.

And, as in their first meeting in school days, Clifford had given Margaret a white rose and she in turn had given him a red one, so two rose bushes, planted by a stranger's hand, now grow above the lovers' graves twining the red and the white roses in a union beautifully emblematic of the more perfect soul-union in Heaven.

Cornwells.

Mrs. Quicksall entertained several friends recently.

Charles McFadden and family have gone to Philadelphia for the winter.

Mrs. Hess, of Bristol, has been visiting Mrs. Harry Minster, for two weeks.

Mr. Smith, son of the late Hastie Smith, addressed the Cornwells M. E. Sunday School last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jane Briggs, who has been away for three months, has returned to the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Johnson.

Several persons of this section have signed the nomination papers of the Majority Rule party, which presents the Local Option principles.

Rev. Samuel B. Goff will preach at the revival meeting in the Hulmeville M. E. Church next Tuesday evening, the 22nd. Mrs. Goff will sing.

There will be a package party in Cornwells M. E. Church on Saturday evening, October 3rd, for the benefit of the Christmas fund for the primary department of the Methodist Sunday School. A package admits you to the party.

A very interesting cottage prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Anna Knight last Wednesday evening. Helpful addresses were given by two of the oldest persons in this community, William Vandegrift, age 91, and John Foster, age 85.

The elephant has only eight teeth.

The mole will starve to death in a day.

The wife in Abyssinia always owns the house and contents.

The amount of wheat ruined by the rust is estimated at $5,000,000 per year.

The Verdi monument, a gift of the Italians of the city to Philadelphia crated and sealed, is now awaiting its final resting place in Fairmount Park.

Vermont gets the credit of being the granite State, but Pennsylvania leads in the production of stone, with nearly 14 per cent. of the total to her credit.

The greatest heat is never found on the equator, but some ten degrees to the north, while more severe cold has been registered in northern Siberia than has been found near the Pole.

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Lest We Forget.

Bucks county Republicans generally have no use for Senator Penrose they consider him a Senatorial misfit and the prime cause for all the Republican woes that exist. There will never be peace in the Republican party of Bucks until Penrose is removed. No half way pledge will be taken by the people ... DOWN WITH PENROSE should be the party slogan next year and if the party leaders are wise (even the Federal officeholders) they will see that the slogan is graven on the party ... Nothing else will do nothing else will save the party from defeat Week's Cor, Bristol

BRAINS NOT "COLLARS."

The Grundy daily and its satellite the Courier profess to have a poor opinion of the success of the Majority Rule Party candidates for the Legislature Messrs Everitt and Case. Both of those gentlemen dedicated to the Penrose campaign have printed the following asinine statement

The Majority Rule candidates would have no standing on the floor of the House even if they were elected. They would not be recognized by either the Republicans or Democrats and they would therefore be of no benefit to the county

Of all the empty sophistry that ever emanated from a supposedly intelligent source this statement ranks as the very limit of grotesque argument

The idea! Think of it! Men elected to the legislature by the sovereign votes of the people of Bucks county would have no standing on the floor of the House because they were elected to that position over their Republican and Democratic competitors!

Our Grundy contemporaries have assumed the position that political collars are accepted in the legislature halls at Harrisburg as substitutes for brains. Nothing would be further from the truth than that and well does the author of the ridiculous statement know it

There have been instances where an independent member of the Legislature has in obedience to Penrose orders, been denied desirable committee appointments but no partisan effort has ever destroyed a member's standing or influence in the House

Samuel B Scott a young Philadelphia member of the last Legislature, was elected on an independent ticket defeating both the Republican and Democratic candidates and although it was his first term at Harrisburg at the last session he wielded an influence on the floor of the House that defeated more than one crooked gang measure

Robert R Bearden also of Philadelphia was elected over organization candidates and was considered to have so much standing that he was placed on the capitol investigating committee by Speaker McClain

Andrew J Pfeiff of Philadelphia another young man of extreme independent views elected in spite of the gang proved himself to be one of the most influential members of the House in forcing his sweat shop crusade bills

William P Logan of Philadelphia a fusionist, had sufficient influence and standing as to cause a prominent Bucks county leader to crook the pregnant hinges of his knees that favors might follow fawning

Andrew B Dinsmore of Tioga county in 1905 was relegated to the rear without standing because of his independence but he wielded such an influence from his rear seat that he was solely responsible for the defeat of the Judges retirement bill a pet 'gang' measure

In 1905 and 1907 John O Sheatz was denied any 'standing,' although elected on the Republican ticket He was told in the writer's presence in most forcible language that he would never come back to Harrisburg The next session Mr Sheatz was made chairman of the Committee on Appropriations.

Before these men were elected the same sort of argument was used to accomplish their defeat It was said they would be without influence or standing among their colleagues, if they were elected

This sort of arrogant pleading comes from a class of political ring masters who would have the people believe that 'collars' have more influence among men elected to office than brains

The voters of Bucks county will soon have an opportunity to make a choice.

Bucks county is, evidently not the only district in which the new state highways are in need of repairs The Wellsboro Agitator, one of the best weekly papers published in the State says

'Every new state road in Tioga county needs repairs now, in order to preserve the foundation There is no public improvement of any sort anywhere which so forcibly illustrates the proverb that "a stitch in time saves nine" We believe the time will come when better roads will be built for less money than the new roads cost but that is no reason why there should be neglect and wastefulness relative to those we already have In Europe eternal vigilance is the price of their good roads Continued neglect of these expensive roads will result in their complete ruin. Let us take good care of those we have as a matter of economy and common-sense'

Newspaper editors have a great responsibility, as they are charged with the task of molding public opinion But there are hundreds and thousands of them who do not fully realize this, men whose lack of knowledge on pertinent subjects leads them into wrong paths, men who edit their papers with scissors instead of brains, men who could prove of great value to their home communities, but who, from lack of training, and blindness to opportunity, can see their city or town remaining in the same rut or taking on bad habits, or dwindling in size, and not raise a hand to stop it, says an exchange.

WHO CALLED OFF POLICE

Councilman Rathke Created Mild Sensation in Council.

DOG PROCLAMATION

Second Ward Member Charges that "Authority Higher than Burgess," Ordered Ignoring of Burgess Highland's Proclamation

Gustav A Rathke member of Bristol Borough Council representing the Second ward at the regular session of the Council held on Monday evening, created a sensation by vehemently declaring in a speech to the members that some authority he identify higher than the Burgess issued orders to the police to ignore Burgess Highland's proclamation authorizing the destruction of dogs which roamed the streets without being muzzled

Councilman Rathke's indignation was aroused because on Saturday evening three persons were bitten by a supposedly mad dog and practically no attention had been paid the proclamation of the Burgess ordering all dogs to be muzzled or to be shot

According to Mr Rathke's statement the police officers started to enforce the provisions of the proclamation issued under authority of a borough ordinance but were called off from executing the orders of the burgess by someone evidently in higher authority

Mr Rathke's sensational charge was made toward the close of the proceedings when he arose in his place and addressing President Owen said that Burgess Highland had issued a proclamation in accordance with due authority ordering that all dogs shall be muzzled 'But I have this knowledge' said Mr Rathke 'that the officers were told not to obey the orders of the Burgess'

Mr Buckley, the chairman of the Police committee promptly arose and said he knew of no such orders and requested Mr Rathke to give the name of the person who interfered in the police matter

'I don't care to mention the person here' Mr Rathke replied but suggested that if the chairman would call the members of the Police committee together it could be quickly learned who the person was

Mr Rathke told how three persons were bitten by a mad dog on Saturday night and he said the officers would probably get busy now after there were several victims of an unmuzzled dog He said he hoped it would come home forcibly to the person who interfered with the police regulations

BURGESS TAKES A HAND

Burgess Highland was present at the meeting and quoted to the members of Council the ordinance of 188_ (which is printed in another column) He said it must certainly be due to ignorance of the borough ordinance on the part of the police authorities that his proclamation had not been obeyed. The Burgess declared that he had been reliably informed that the police had been called off

Upon motion of Mr Rathke the ordinance of 188_ was ordered printed in the local papers

RATHKE WANTS TO KNOW

Mr Rathke kept in the limelight by making the request that the Clerk of Council furnish at the next meeting the names of all persons whose properties are drained into the borough sewers Mr Wright declared it was not necessary to have the clerk do that as that officer kept a book with the names in and Mr Rathke could see it whenever he wanted to But the Second warder was obdurate and finally asked the clerk how many names were on the list The clerk answered by saying about thirty six Mr Rathke declared there were more than that years ago and now permits are granted every little while and he believed there were a number of persons enjoying sewer privileges who were not paying for it and he insisted upon having the list and therefore the clerk was instructed to have the names of all persons whose houses are connected with borough sewers at the next meeting of Council

STREET COMMITTEE REPORT

The Street committee reported that Bath street had been rebuilt almost its entire length and placed in first class condition and presented a creditable appearance The committee also reported that practically all of the property owners had reset their curbs and fixed their gutters which was very gratifying to the committee The committee also wished to make public its appreciation of the public spirit displayed by the Bucks County Electric Company In paving in a substantial manner two feet on the outside of the rails with Belgian blocks It was also reported that the matters of further safeguarding the Mill street crossing and other grade crossings in the borough and the blocking of crossings by trains had been taken up with the Pennsylvania Railroad officials but as yet is unable to make a final report as the negotiations with the company are still pending The committee reported that the approach to Lincoln avenue which was recently opened to Radcliffe street had been fixed and crossings placed and the opening of the street had already proved to be a great convenience The Dorrance street public pump was reported to have been repaired and put in good condition

POLICE REPORT

The Police committee reported that the police officers during the month of August made six arrests two for larceny two for assault and battery and two for running auto without State licenses One street light was reported out and forty two tramps were lodged in the station house

NEW MILK RULES

The Health Sanitation and Poor committee reported that following instruction of Council the committee had held a conference with Dr Haines the milk inspector and presented to Council an elaborate set of rules regulations and recommendations governing the sale of milk in the borough and providing for the inspection and regulation of dairies and improvement of sanitary conditions The regulations were voluminous and covered the subjects of cows stables milk houses milkers milk wagons and all utensils used in handling milk The rules also provided for the issuing of licenses to vendors of milk The recommendations appeared to be so rigid to one prominent member of Council that he addressed the President and declared that it was all tom-fool business but when assured the clerk was then reading only the recommendations the member subsided

Mr Grundy stated that the regulation and improvement of sanitary conditions surrounding the supply of milk was forging ahead all over the country and especially in Pennsylvania A strong effort was being made in this state especially to raise the standard of the milk supply

The rules and regulations were approved by Council and the committee instructed to have them printed for distribution

OPEN SEWER

A communication was received from the local Board of Health complaining of the open mill ditch and the old race as being public nuisances and detrimental to health Mr Wright moved that the matter be referred to the Street committee, but Mr Rathke objected, declaring the matter was one that belonged to the Health and Sanitation committee to which it was referred

SEWER CONNECTIONS

E M Peirce was granted permission to connect the property at 258 Radcliffe street with the borough sewer The same privilege was granted to W G Buckman, attorney for Frances Thomas, for the new house being erected on Radcliffe street, near Jefferson avenue.

An invitation was received from the School Board for the Councilmen to attend the exercises in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new Fifth ward school house which was accepted

Tax Collector Kraft reported that during the first sixty days of collection of borough taxes he had received $22 866 less $1 125 discount

BILLS PRESENTED

The following bills were presented and ordered paid

J O Thomas & Son, adv	$38 50
Watson Ptg Co adv and ptg	36 75
Street Com pay roll	5[illegible]8 [illegible]2
W A Girton repairing pump	8 00
W P Wright, hardware	17 75
Philip Di Giacomo, fixing gutter	42 00
J M Peirce hauling	45 25
G W Headley hauling	48 1[illegible]
C H Bunting hauling	52 50
C J McIlvaine hauling	45 75
J J Tyrol hauling	61 25
Neal Harkins hauling	18 50
H B Nelson hauling	65 40
Police salaries	310 00
Del Nav Co freight	66
Jno H Clay fixing hose	7 10
B E L & P Co street lighting	393 44
D Neil collecting garbage	70 00
P R R Co freight	1030 25
Cornelius Callahan Co note	1000 00
Farmers Nat Bank notes	5042 00
Bristol Trust Co notes	1588 25
H H H Poole clerk salary	20 83

Council then adjourned

TEMPERANCE WORKERS MEET

Convention of White Ribboners Omen of Women's Aid for Local Option

Bristol Leads in Mission Work

By [illegible]

A successful business man once said to me 'If you have a piece of work you want to be sure to have done right give it to a busy man or person to do' I wonder if that can be the reason why so large a part of this temperance work with all its import has fallen into the hands of busy mothers wives housekeepers and mothers such as gathered in the comfortable and beautifully decorated Reformed Church at Richboro on Saturday morning September 12 1908

The faithful President Mrs Lettie Eyre was at her post though suffering from a severe cold and called the convention to order promptly at 10 0 a m

Mrs White opened the meeting by reading the 5th chapter of Isaiah in her usual impressive manner followed by an earnest prayer

The address of welcome was given by Mr Anna Finney of Richboro It was full of practical ideas delightfully expressed She laid considerable stress upon the subject of a single moral standard for both men and women quoting from Edward W Bok's editorials on this question

Mrs Ella Burns of Bristol an experienced and easy speaker responded to this address in a strong impromptu speech She said among other things that while we may sometimes feel that people are criticising us for not doing more that we are doing much when we uphold the standard of the white ribbon

The county treasurer was absent for the first time in twenty years but sent a most beautiful personal letter which touched the hearts of her co workers Miss Anna Worthington acted as treasurer pro tem and reported a balance of $18 78 in the county treasury A convention bouquet of beautiful flowers was directed to be sent to Mrs Blackfan as a loving thought for her in her sorrow

The convention voiced the conviction that in view of the work of local option which is now on and on to win it is most important for the W C T U to use earnest efforts to increase the membership More mothers meetings were requested by local unions

The report on Narcotics was brief and not as encouraging as we would all desire One union reported its need in this direction so great that they are appalled by the magnitude of the work before them

The corresponding secretary reported 74 paying members at present time The 17 delegates present voted to let well enough alone and unanimously re elected the following officers to continue in service

Mrs Lettie Eyre President Mrs Emma Eyre Vice President at large Miss Sara Twining Recording Secretary Miss Lillian Brooks Corresponding Secretary Mrs Lavinia Blackfan Treasurer

Noontide hour of prayer was observed and fitting memorial services conducted by Emma D Eyre for Mrs Sarah James who for twenty years was President of Jerusalem Union Also for Mrs Amanda G Large a charter member of Upper Makefield Union and one who through a long and active life had always carried the good of the temperance cause very near her heart George Blackfan recently of Newtown though not a member was feelingly remembered as one ever ready to Godspeed our work

Miss Lillian Brooks the faithful Corresponding Secretary was selected by the convention to represent Bucks county at the coming State Convention to be held in October at Sharon Mercer county Other local delegates were appointed

Miss Mary Atkinson of Wallingford, on account of sickness was unable to be present but sent report of work in the department of Peace She earnestly desires our superintendents to co operate with teachers of day schools and Sabbath schools in using poems essays etc in the furtherance of peace principles

Miss Abigail Jackson County Superintendent of Lancaster county was introduced and told especially of eleven mass meetings held by their union during the past few years They consider them most valuable educational factors They always aim to have one speaker representing the Church one from the Anti Saloon League and one from the W C T U These meetings are held in the open air and dinners and refreshments sold She strongly urges every union that possibly can to hold one of these meetings every year and if they can to have Mrs Parsels to make the collection speech In replying to the assertion so often made that prohibition does not prohibit she gave among others these two facts Kent county has tried prohibition less than eight months and in that time has reduced the number of criminals in its jail to two one white and one colored Georgia has prohibition and her last term of court closed without a single criminal case

Mrs White of Yardley who has faithfully served the county as Superintendent of Evangelistic work for twenty three years was by request released and Miss Emily Packer of Newtown, was placed in charge of that department Miss Packer was introduced to the convention by Mrs White in most appropriate words which were echoed we are sure by all hearts present

Mrs Emma Eyre who has been most steadfast through many years in her devotion to the work of Scientific Temperance Instruction was grateful to at last find some younger and competent person willing to assume this important work and took great pleasure in introducing in her own happy way as her successor Mrs Anna Finney, of Richboro

Miss Kate Alcott gave a good report of Mercy Work Her own union in Upper Makefield has been most active in this department Mrs Large, of Yardley, spoke in the interest of this line of work

Mrs Lownes, so faithful always and ever, brought a report which showed no idleness in her corner of the work shop She gave unstinted appreciation to the editors of several of our county papers for so loyally upholding this work for humanity by giving such generous newspaper aid

The S T I reports say we are losing ground that we might hold and add to because we do not visit our public schools more There has never been any suitable book published for use in the primary grade for scientific temperance instruction and Miss Elizabeth Lloyd, of Lansdowne, Pa , has now ready a leaflet, especially prepared to meet this want It can be had for the very moderate sum of 15 cents per dozen This department feels it has made a great gain in the election of County Superintendent Hoffman a man who stands straight up on the temperance side of the fence and speaks in no uncertain tones The first prize a $5 gold piece, for essays was awarded to Yardley An interesting and hopeful report was given by Mrs Thompson, of the L T L's work Seven unions have this department Morrisville has one hundred little tots enrolled There are about five hundred members enrolled in the county Mrs McGary—we will call her faithful because we know no stronger word to use—reported activity and earnestness for her 127 L T L workers giving special honors for effort to Fallsington

Miss Emily Hart reported no decrease in effort for good work in the Flower Mission department Bristol was far far in advance of every other union in activity in this department last year The money, clothing flowers fruit both fresh and canned sugar vegetables toys and other things sent out last year by this department to various guilds and other reliable philanthropic headquarters must have cheered and uplifted thousands of hearts Bristol alone sent 5700 bouquets besides barrels boxes hampers jars etc, of good and useful things The Committee on resolutions appointed to act for the spring convention, consists of Mrs Anna Balderston Mrs R R Large Mrs Reba Van Artsdalen, Miss Skeer and Mrs Caroline Craven

The next convention will be held at New Hope

The members of the Richboro local union and their friends including the singers small and large who aided them so substantially in conveying the people to and from the railroad and caring for all their wants and comforts during their stay with them certainly merit and hold the sincere thanks of all their W C T U visitors of Saturday September 12 1908

We were sorry to leave the convention without hearing the resolutions the evening lecture and music in store for those who were able to remain for all three sessions

WILL WORK FOR LOCAL OPTION

Among the resolutions adopted was the following

Resolved That in the struggle for local option which is now on that we as an organization use our influence to gain the votes of men to support the local option candidates and that we also endeavor to increase our membership in order that we may increase our reverences and develop public sentiment without which we can not win victory

THIRD PARTY TICKET.

The placing of a local option and anti Penrose legislative ticket in the field in Bucks county is causing wide comment and much speculation as to the effect it will have upon the old party tickets The following is one view as set forth by the Doylestown correspondent of the Newtown Enterprise

The Local Option convention and its result furnished a theme for a good bit of gossip in political circles last week and it is still discussed quite extensively Both parties fear the effect of a third party ticket on their vote but the Republicans are much more apprehensive than the Democrats They have a twofold reason to fear the independent ticket It will catch not only the strong local option advocates in the party but every anti Penrose Republican who is bitter enough to carry his animosity against the senior United States Senator to the polls will in all probability vote for Case and Everitt This is a source of strength to the independent ticket that should not be overlooked and of course, such a vote will come only from the Republican party Democrats admit that some of their votes will go to the Local Option ticket but they claim that a great many Democrats who think that the voter should have a chance to express his views on the question of license or no license at the ballot box will not go to the extremity of voting against their legislative candidates when there are other important issues at stake besides local option Democrats generally profess to believe that the third party legislative ticket will draw upon the old parties in the proportion of one Democrat to ten Republicans But Republicans scout this claim While admitting that their party will lose more votes than the Democrats they say the proportion will be nothing like 10 to 1 It is quite interesting to note that the leaders of both parties concede the third party ticket a large vote Postmaster Minster, of Bristol is reported to have said that he would not be surprised if the Local Option ticket polled from two to three thousand votes while a prominent Democratic leader in Doylestown stated this week that he was ready to concede the independent ticket three or four thousand votes If these estimates are anywhere near correct somebody is going to get hurt by the third party movement In some quarters it is believed that the outcome will be the election of both up county candidates for the Legislature Keller and Clymer That the third party ticket will demoralize the voting on the entire county ticket is generally admitted especially should such a number as 3000 voters support Case and Everitt for when the voter begins to cut his ticket there is always danger that he will not stop at one or two names But the very element of doubt which the third party injects into the contest will add spice to the local campaign which in a few days will be under full swing

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The kangaroo sometimes leaps seventy feet

EXPLANATION OF CATHOLIC ORDER

Student for the Priesthood Writes to the Gazette, Explaining the Vatican Order which Removes the United States from the Mission Field and Places It Under Direct Authority of the Pope.

The recent order affecting the government of the Roman Catholic Church in the United States, whereby this country is to be no longer considered a mission is possibly not fully understood especially by those outside the church

In order to obtain a clear and concise explanation from competent authority of the true meaning and effect of the order the editor of the Gazette recently made a request of James F Gallagher a former resident of Bristol who is studying for the priesthood, to enlighten us and our readers upon this important subject Mr Gallagher has kindly complied with our request and sends us the following interesting and lucid explanation of the order

Belmont N C Sept 12 1908

Editor Gazette —In answer to your question What constitutes a missionary country I would reply that the answer may be given (according to our authority here) in a brief sentence viz A missionary country is one not subject to canonical law (laws made by the Church)

Prior to the Reformation all Europe was subject to canonical law and was (as regards Church matters) directly under jurisdiction of the Pope

But at the breaking out of the Reformation new conditions arose many states going under the sway of the reformers and apostate princes This naturally called for new ruling in regards to Church affairs Those countries then which had broken away were no longer subject to the regular law (canonical) of the Church and hence no longer under the direct supervision of the Pope hence a committee was appointed to take charge thus placing all heretical nations in the regular missionary class as in Africa etc

Now this transferring of authority gave extraordinary powers to the bishops and others Just like a general leading an army into a new country must depend upon his own resources to a great extent and has powers denied to the regular officers stationed at home So likewise missionary bishops have extraordinary power owing to there being removed from the seat of government When however a country (like America recently) is taken out of the hands of the committee so to speak and placed directly under the control of the Pope the extraordinary powers of the bishops cease Hence a Roman Cardinal in refusing a favor can no longer say 'I cannot grant what you ask Go to an American bishop They can grant you almost anything' This is exaggerated of course but it shows what privileges are enjoyed in a missionary country—especially when the prelates are not afraid to go the limit

It may interest you to learn that a priest (save in danger of death) is like a judge being unable to exercise his powers outside of his own district A judge you know cannot dispense justice (unless invited to substitute) out of his own territory neither can a priest absolve (unless invited first having permission of the bishop) or when death threatens, in which case his powers are universal

Another peculiar thing there are only two canonically organized parishes I believe in the United States In them the parishioners must comply with the Easter regulations that is receive the sacraments (Confession and Holy Communion) in their own parish Churches Otherwise the reception of the sacraments is invalid As the matter stands now however with the exception of the two parishes mentioned a Catholic may make his Easter duty (as the phrase runs) in any Roman Catholic Church, the recent law not affecting that practice as yet

So you see Mr Thomas the Catholic Church has a wonderful legislative and judicial system which in a measure accounts for her wonderful success

Yours sincerely
JAMES F CALLAGHER

Personal News Notes

Mrs Isabella Brogan of Bath road spent last week at Ardmore

Mrs P F Fallon has returned from Atlantic City much improved in health

Jacob Smith and James McNulty spent last week in Atlantic City and Ocean City

Mrs Mary A Duncan of Bath street is on a two weeks visit to Summit Hill and Lansford Pa

Mr and Mrs William P Brint and sons Clifford and Albert were visiting relatives in Dolington on Sunday

W Harlin Page of Locust street, was tendered a postcard shower last Tuesday in honor of her 21st birthday anniversary

Mrs S W Groff and family who have been spending the summer at their cottage at Bradley Beach have returned to Bristol

Miss M Jennie Rundall of Newtown is visiting her nephew George Wilson, of Rutherford N J for an indefinite period

Elwood W Minster Jr son of Postmaster Minster and Dudley Bell entered the Swarthmore Preparatory School on Tuesday

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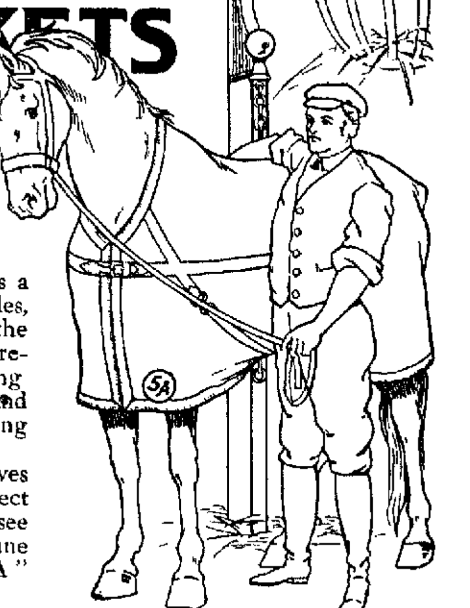

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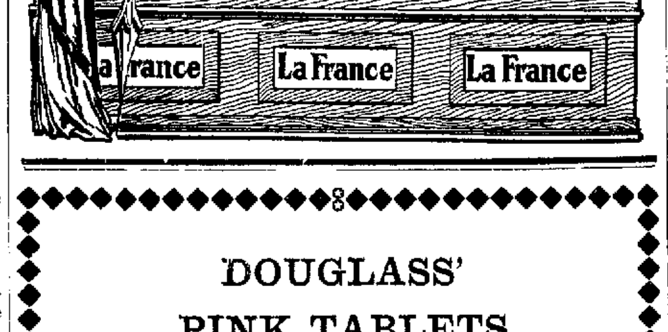

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LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The rolling mill is shut down this week.

The Radcliffe Hosiery Mills have resumed operations.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. John Smoyer, Sr., Linden street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Headley were visitors to Atlantic City on Wednesday.

The Misses Wood have sent out invitations for cards for next Thursday, Sept. 24.

Thirty-seven dogs which were roaming the streets without muzzles, have been killed this week.

Pond street, from Penn to Mill, is being reconstructed under the direction of the Street committee.

Miss Ellen Clark, former teacher in the Bristol High School, is now teaching in Merchantville, N. J.

Mrs. Stanford K. Runyan entertained a number of her friends at cards on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Eugene Barrett and children and Miss Mary Daklin are spending three weeks at Atlantic City.

Mrs. James Archer and daughter, Anna, and Miss Mary McGinley are spending ten days at Jersey City.

Don't forget the barn dance this evening in Pythian Hall given by the Catholic Women's Benevolent Legion.

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Miss S. M. Hawke, 218 Mulberry street, on Wednesday afternoon, September 23.

Harry H. Poole has sold to Samuel Levinson, the tailor, the property on Mill street, occupied as a Chinese laundry, for $3,000.

A seven-months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Gallagher, 642 Spruce street, died on the 10th inst. of cerebral spinal meningitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. LaRue, of the township, are on a Raymond & Whitcomb tour of Canada and the New England States.

Miss Etta North's Sunday school class of the St. James Church will give an ice cream social in St. James Hall on Thursday evening, October 1st.

W. K. Highland has added the well known line of Regal Shoes to his stock and will hereafter be the sole agent in Bristol for this popular grade of footwear.

Mrs. M. E. Shores and family wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their sympathy and kind assistance during their recent sad bereavement.

Dr. and Mrs. William Martin leave tomorrow for Moorestown, N. J., and in a few days will make a trip to Canada. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

F. Max Gross, formerly of Bristol, is president of the newly-incorporated concrete block manufacturing concern, which will make drain pipes at Doylestown.

The new hose wagon for No. 2 Fire Company was shipped by the Robinson Manufacturing Co. on the 10th inst and is expected to arrive in Bristol on the 18th.

The engagement has been announced of Robert Thompson, McCracken and Miss Anna Mattida Erdman, both of Philadelphia. The former has a number of Bristol friends.

John Graham and William Graham are home from the Isthmus of Panama on a several weeks' vacation. The former is yardmaster of the Panama Railroad Company.

The following letters remain uncalled for in the Bristol postoffice: Mrs. Anna Sharp, Charles F. Scheidig, J. Rodenhauser, Miss Lizzie Rue, Adrian Moore, Miss Anna Larett.

The store property at 213 Mill street, lately occupied by L. Rubin, belonging to the Jeffries estate, has been sold by Charles A. Wilson, agent, to George Condos, the fruit dealer, for $3000.

A. Arcolese won the gold cross and chain and Hugh McGee the baseball glove that were chanced off at the lawn festival of St. Marks Church on last Friday and Saturday evenings.

Miss Maria Jarvis and Miss M. C. Baker left on Saturday to visit Mrs. Fremont Harned at Merchantville, N. J. Miss Baker returned on Monday. Miss Jarvis expects to return next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ancker, of Asbury Park, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. Wettling, of Newtown, well known former Bristolians, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Vansant this week.

Michael McCarry, aged 76 years, a widower, died at his home on Pine street, last Monday morning of tuberculosis. The deceased was a native of Ireland, but came to Bristol when a young man. The funeral is to be held today.

Work started on Monday on the erection of the fifty new houses to be built by the new foundry company. Peirce & Williams have received the contract for furnishing thirty carloads of lumber for the houses.

W. R. Molinard, of Philadelphia, formerly identified with the local trolley company as general manager, has been re-appointed to that position by the receivers of the Philadelphia, Bristol and Trenton Street Railway Company.

Mrs. Fred Nevegold wishes to thank all her friends and neighbors and members of the fire companies and employees of the rolling mill for their sympathy and kindness, and presentation of flowers, during her sad bereavement.

Estimates will be received and opened tomorrow for the erection of a new fire company house for Enterprise Fire Company, No. 5. The cost of the building is limited to $6,000. Contractors Lawrence and Degroot are the only bidders.

A leaky oil cook stove caused a fire at the home of Mr. Larrabee, corner of Jefferson avenue and Wood street, on Sunday morning. Without a general alarm being turned in the Fifth Ward Fire Company put the fire out, after the room was considerably scorched.

Nearly a hundred persons who participated in the crab supper given by the Bristol Choral Union on last Friday night, became violently ill on Saturday and the most of them required the services of a physician. It is believed that ptomaine poisoning caused the sickness.

A number of Bristolians went over to Burlington on Tuesday afternoon to hear William J. Bryan make a ten-minute speech from the rear end of his car. Dr. James Sands, who was in the crowd, was the victim of pickpockets. His pocket book and a valued masonic charm were stolen.

James A. Field and Elmer Patterson, of Spring Lake, N. J., who are walking from that place to San Francisco, Cal., by way of the Southern States, called at the Gazette office yesterday afternoon. The walkers are young men and are making their expenses enroute by selling souvenir postals.

The Gazette contains no coupons entitling the holder to a ham sandwich, a piano, a brick house or a seashore lot. We consider that we give full value for a years' subscription upon the payment of one dollar without throwing in, by the way of good measure, any real estate or household furniture.

Under the auspices of the Algonquin Club a reception will be tendered to Vice-President Howard J. James, Esq., on Monday evening at the club house. Mr. James returned last Friday from a pleasure trip to Colorado, Utah and the Yellowstone Park. An orchestra will furnish music for the occasion, a lunch will be served and addresses by the president, Mr. Grundy, and Mr. James will be made.

RE-DEDICATION CHURCH SERVICES

Sixtieth Anniversary of the First Baptist Church to be Celebrated by Four-Days Programme.

The main auditorium of the First Baptist Church, at a cost of $3000, has been handsomely remodelled and will be re-opened on Sunday morning, when the sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the church will be celebrated and the church re-dedicated.

The auditorium now presents a handsome appearance. The ceilings and walls have been covered with ornamental stamped steel, beautifully tinted in green and white tones. The seating capacity has been greatly enlarged and circular pews installed. New stained glass windows have been placed, the baptistry enlarged and a new platform erected. Handsome new carpet adorns the floor.

Services will be held Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Sunday's services will begin at 10 a. m. with a meeting for prayer, led by the pastor, at 10.30 a. m. Service in the re-modelled auditorium. The dedication sermon will be preached by the Hon. George D. Cooper, D. D., of Jenkintown.

Sunday school at 2.00 o'clock.

At four o'clock there will be a men's meeting addressed by Rev. J. M. Wilbur, D. D., of Trenton. Frank Emblick, of Philadelphia, will be the soloist.

At the evening service the pastor will preach, taking as his subject "The Mission of the Church."

NEIGHBORS' NIGHT.

Monday evening will be "Neighbors' Night," service beginning at 7.45. Short addresses will be made by Rev. C. E. Burns, D. D., of the Presbyterian Church; Rev. J. Kennedy Moorhouse, of St. Paul's Church; Rev. O. J. Randall, of Tullytown M. E. Church; Rev. S. B. Goff, Jr., of Cornwells M. E. Church; Rev. J. C. Peiree, of the First Baptist Church, of Wayne, and the Rev. Grove Drew, of the Third Baptist Church, of Philadelphia. Mrs. S. B. Goff will be the special soloist.

ENTERTAINMENT NIGHT.

Tuesday will be the entertainment night under the direction of the Pastor's Bible Class, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Miss Amanda Landes, of the Millersville State Normal School, a celebrated elocutionist and Miss M. J. Smith, soloist, will contribute to the programme. An admission of twenty-five cents will be charged that evening.

FAMILY NIGHT.

Wednesday will be family night, upon which occasion former pastors of the church will be present and make addresses. Remarks will be made by these former pastors: Rev. W. H. Chipman, Rev. E. A. Rook and Rev. Thomas MacKay. Miss Evelyn Connor, of Bristol, will be the soloist.

FOUND HER BOY.

Last week the Gazette published a letter from a heart-broken mother, of Philadelphia, requesting our aid in tracing the whereabouts of her boy who recently disappeared from the St. Francis Industrial School at Eddington. The following letter is testimony as to how effective this paper was in locating the missing youth:

Phila., September 12.

Editor of the Gazette—Dear Sir:—I can never thank you enough for what you have done for me. I received a letter this morning from Mrs. H. Leigh, of Tullytown, saying she had seen my request in your paper. My son had been with her for a week and a friend of theirs, living in Trenton, has him now. She invited me to call and I go the first thing in the morning. She cleared my boy in the world, but boy-like, would not think it would cause me any anxiety. Thanking you with all my heart, I remain, Very gratefully yours,

Annie E. Nale.

Special Men's Meeting.

A special meeting for men will be held in the newly re-modelled First Baptist Church of Bristol, Rev. J. M. Wilbur, D. D., of Trenton, will make an address, taking for his subject, "When is a Man Less Than a Man?" All the men are cordially invited to be present. Ample and comfortable seating capacity. New and beautiful surroundings.

Blind Musician in Contest.

George Sommerfeld, Bristol's blind musician, has entered the North American's voting contest, the prize being tickets of admission to Hammerstein's grand opera to be opened in Philadelphia November 17. He asks that his friends in Bristol and elsewhere will clip the coupons from the North American each day and send or hand them to him and he will be deeply grateful.

Death of Aged Resident.

Euclides Stackhouse, one of the oldest and best known residents of Bristol township, died at his home in Emilie on Tuesday of cerebral hemorrhage. The deceased was in his 81th year. Mr. Stackhouse was a familiar personage in the township and was formerly an active worker for the Republican organization. The funeral will be held on Sunday. Interment at Emilie.

Harry Shores Drowned.

Harry Shores, Sr., an experienced Bristol fisherman, was found dead, floating in the Delaware river, near the Beverly wharf, by one of the crew of the steamer Columbia, Thursday afternoon of last week. The body was brought to Bristol on Friday. It is not positively known how Mr. Shores met his death, but the absence of water in the lungs denoted that death was not caused by drowning. He left home on Wednesday on a fishing trip and his family heard nothing of him until notified of his death. It is claimed that a man on the Pennsylvania shore, near the China Hall wharf, saw Shores on Wednesday in his boat and he was then suffering with an acute attack of indigestion. The deceased is survived by a widow and two sons. The funeral took place on Monday.

Death of Fred Nevegold.

Charles Fred Nevegold, aged 32 years, died at his home, 419 Jefferson avenue, Friday afternoon of last week at four o'clock. Death was due to Bright's disease.

The deceased was born in Bristol and was the son of Frederick Nevegold, who was a member of the firm of Nevegold, Scheide & Co., former owners of the Bristol rolling mill.

The deceased was an exceedingly popular young man, and his funeral on Tuesday was attended by more men than any funeral held in Bristol in many years.

The deceased leaves a widow and one son.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. E. Burns, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church. The members of Fire Co. No. 1 and the deceased's fellow employees in the rolling mill attended the funeral in a body. A number of handsome floral designs were sent by organizations to which he belonged, including an elaborate horn from the fire company and a vacant chair by the rolling mill men. The pall bearers were Messrs. Louder, Bruden, Forker, Spangler, Walters and Pfeiffer.

Walking to 'Frisco.

Harry Garrety, of 25 Piedmont street, Worcester, Mass., enroute on a walking trip from Boston to San Francisco and back on a wager of $1000, arrived on Lincoln Highway yesterday morning about 11 o'clock. The trip must be completed within six months. Garrety is supporting a brother and sister in Worcester by singing in music halls and selling photos. He is a small man, weighing but 105 pounds and is attired in a brown canvas suit and wears a broad sombrero and has a revolver strapped to his waist.

LAY CORNER-STONE OF NEW SCHOOL

A Pleasing Spectacle Attends the Ceremony. Five Hundred Children Parade.

Five hundred scholars of the Bristol public schools, headed by the Metropolitan Band, of Burlington, and attended by their teachers, and accompanied by members of the Borough Council and School Board, marched from the high school building on Tuesday afternoon to the site of the new Fifth ward school.

It was an impressive sight. There was a stiff wind blowing and each pupil carried a good-sized American flag and the stars and stripes fluttered in the breeze as the little marchers kept step with the inspiring music.

The occasion which was celebrated was the laying of the corner-stone of the new school building. A stand, decorated with flags, had been erected for speakers, councilmen and directors and temporary benches placed on the crest of the hill for the accommodation of the pupils. It is estimated that about 2000 persons witnessed the exercises.

At 3.30 o'clock, with hundreds of flags snapping in the breeze, President Leech, of the School Board, stepped to the front of the stand and took charge of the ceremonies and the following programme was rendered:

THE PROGRAMME.

Selection, Metropolitan Band.
Singing, "America," by the pupils.
Prayer, Rev. J. Kennedy Moorhouse.
Address, Burgess W. K. Highland.
Singing, "Good Old U. S. A.," by pupils.
Address, by Vera Vansant, class of 1909.
Address, by Helen Randall, class of 1909.
Selection, by the band.
Address, by James H. Brooks, class of 1880, representing the Alumni Association.
Singing, "Flag of the Free," by the pupils.
Address, by Doren Green, chairman of the Property Committee of the School Board.
Depositing of flag in box by Miss Biggs, Superintendent of the schools, and the deposit of other articles by various persons.
Laying of corner-stone, by William V. Leech, President of the School Board.
Benediction, by Rev. C. E. Burns, D. D.

CONTENTS OF THE BOX.

The following articles were placed in the copper receptacle of the corner-stone: Holy Bible, names of Burgess and Council, names of School Board, and committees, names of Superintendent and teachers, complete list of all scholars in the schools, list of officers and members of the Alumni Association, post card views of all the school buildings, views of Mill and Radcliffe streets and the ferry-boat "William E. Doran," Alumni badge, swastika emblem, August copy Pennsylvania School Journal, brief description of Bristol as it is today, copies of the Bucks County Gazette, Weekly Courier and Daily Republican, the issues of coins, presented by Farmers National Bank, brief description of the architectural firm which furnished the plans for the building and John N. Degroot, the contractor, a programme of the ceremony, and an American flag.

BURGESS HIGHLAND'S ADDRESS.

Burgess Highland said he was more than pleased to be present upon such an occasion and his only regret was that he felt that he was unable to express in words what he felt to be befitting upon such an occasion. After congratulating the various officials connected with the school system for the consummation of an enterprise which will tend to aid the general welfare of the community, he expatiated upon the value of an education, which unquestionably leads to better government, better health, more happiness and tends to advance prosperity.

He urged the scholars to obtain all the instruction possible, as it broadens the mind and causes men to think for themselves. He urged them, in the future, to take an active part in all municipal affairs, commercial and political. He admonished them to insist upon their political parties in nominating men whom could be consistently supported.

OTHER ADDRESSES.

James H. Brooks delivered a very forceful address, in which he endeavored to impress upon scholars and parents the advantage and necessity of having the pupils continue in school until graduation. He said the tax burden was extra heavy at the present time, but in view of that fact, it was all the more important that the tax-payers should get all they pay for by having their children remain in school to the full course. He cited the habit of scholars leaving before completing the high school course to seek employment or to go to business colleges, which he declared to be wrong. Mr. Brooks' speech was well received.

Doron Green, in behalf of the School Board, made a timely address, in which he recounted the advantages that would accrue with the erection of the new building. He recited the occasion when, as a pupil of the public school, he attended the corner-stone laying of the Washington street school. The speaker told of the crowded conditions of the primary grades, in some instances where the teachers cannot give, if required, over five minutes' individual attention to each child in her department, but with the completion of the new building all these difficulties will be overcome.

After depositing the various articles in the box President Leech made a short address, following which he, with a gilded trowel, placed the cement, as Angelo De Renzo, the mason-sonry contractor, dropped the stone in place.

It was an eventful day for Bristol and marks an epoch in the educational history of the town.

MAD DOG BIT THREE PERSONS

A dog belonging to William Holt, of Otter street, which was bitten by a mad dog several weeks ago, got out of the yard where he was confined on Saturday evening an bit several persons in the Third ward.

James Huelsman, who lives on Bath street, near Buckley, ran afoul of the dog in the passage-way leading to the rear of his house and was severely bitten in the calf of his leg. He immediately went across the street to Watson's drug store and had the wound cauterized.

As Mrs. Harry Bolton, of 523 Maple street, was coming out of the gate of her home with her little boy, the dog pounced upon the lad and knocked him down, tearing his blouse and biting him in the side.

William Higgins, a colored man was also bitten on the ankle by the dog. The neighborhood in the vicinity of Bath and Buckley streets became greatly excited and an armed posse started in pursuit of the animal which was finally shot by one of the police officers on Linden street.

The dog's head was cut off and taken by Officer Bloodgood to the University Hospital for examination on Sunday to determine whether it was infected with hydrophobia or not.

Word was received last evening from the University of Pennsylvania, where the dog's head was sent for examination, that the animal had been suffering with the rabies.

A rowboat belonging to Thomas Whiteley, lettered "Ellen," disappeared from its moorings early this week. It is not known whether the boat was stolen or whether it broke loose from its anchorage.

The blind population of the world numbers sixty-four out of every million.

BAPTISTS TO MEET AT BRISTOL

Fifty-First Annual Session of North Philadelphia Association Will Convene this Month.

The fifty-first annual session of the North Philadelphia Association of Baptist churches will be held in the First Baptist Church of Bristol, September 29, 30 and October 1st. The programmes for the exercises will be as follows:

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

Beginning at 2.30 o'clock the session will be opened by devotional services conducted by the moderator.

Introductory sermon by Rev. C. L. Seasholes, pastor of the Third Church, Germantown.

Business session, including reports of committees, reading of by-laws, election of officers, invitation to visiting brethren and reading of church letters.

EVENING SESSION.

Appointment of committees at 7.30 o'clock.

Address by Prof. Frank H. Green, of the West Chester State Normal School. Subject, "Working and Winning."

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Beginning at 9.00 o'clock. Quiet hour, conducted by Dr. George Cooper, pastor Jenkintown church.

Business session. Election of trustees and Missionary committee.

Reading of church letters.

Report of committees on Education, Temperance, Christian Stewardship and Missions, to be followed by an open parliament.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

Women's work. Devotional services.

Presentation of claims of Baptist Home, Baptist Orphanage and Training School for Christian Work.

Address on Home Missions by Miss Isabelle Crawford, of Oklahoma, missionary to the Kiowa Indians.

Foreign Missions, addresses by Miss Clara E. Righter, Missionary, of Kinhwa, China, and Mrs. Harriet Newell Jones, secretary Pennsylvania W. B. F. M. Society.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Laymen's night. Address by Mormay Williams, Esq., of New York, founder of the Laymen's Movement.

THURSDAY MORNING.

Quiet hour, conducted by George Cooper, D. D., of Jenkintown.

Business session. Reports of committees, appointment of committees and delegates to Northern Baptist Convention and to the Pennsylvania Baptist Convention.

Doctrinal sermon at 11 o'clock by Rev. J. J. Bullen, pastor of the Nicetown church.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

At one o'clock special arrangements will be made for a visit by the association, by trolley, to the site of the Cold Spring Church, at Edgely, the first Baptist church organized in Pennsylvania. A historical service on the ground will be in charge of David Spencer, D. D., pastor of the Chelten avenue church, Germantown.

At three o'clock address by Dr. C. A. Sears, followed by addresses by Dr. C. H. Woolston and G. W. Landis.

THURSDAY EVENING.

The meeting will be presided over by Rev. A. C. Gilmore, president of the Associational B. Y. P. U. Addresses by Rev. Dr. Jacob Sallade and Rev. S. G. Neil.

Special music will be rendered by the choir of the Bristol Baptist Church at the evening sessions.

AMONG THE CHURCHES.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Communion service at 10.30 a. m.
Sunday School, 2.30 a. m.
Evening service, 7.30 p. m.
Preparatory meeting this (Friday) evening at 7.45 p. m.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet at the manse on Thursday, September 24, at 8 p. m, to choose delegates for annual meeting and transact other business. A good attendance of all interested is desired.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

S. W. Gebrett, pastor, will preach at 10.30 a. m. and 7.45 p. m. Morning subject: "The Gift of Power." Evening subject: "Earthly and Heavenly Things."

Sunday School, 2.00 p. m.
Epworth League, 6.45 p. m.
Class meetings, Sunday, 9.30 a. m.;
Monday and Tuesday, 8.00 p. m.
Junior Epworth League, Wednesday, 4.00 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8.00 p. m.

EDDINGTON PRESBYTERIAN.

Sunday School at 9.30 a. m.
Preaching by Rev. T. Clayton Welles, pastor, at 10.45 a. m.

The evening service will be led by Fred W. Snyder upon the subject of "Church Workers. The Supply and their Responsibility."

The Sunday School Association meets next Monday evening in the Chapel.

The Cottage prayer meeting next week on Wednesday evening will be at the residence of H. S. Lukens, of Eddington.

September is our Rally month and all the forces are expected to be on hand at all exercises so far as possible.

The Sunday School programmes for Rally Day are received.

CORNWELLS METHODIST.

"Christian Charitableness" was the theme last Sunday evening. "Christian Service" will be the subject next Sunday evening.

Rev. Frederick Taussig, of Madison, N. J., will preach in Cornwells M. E. Church next Sunday morning. Mrs. Taussig will sing.

Arrangements have been completed for Dr. Dager's lecture on "Old Rags and Old Iron," tomorrow night in Cornwells M. E. Church. There will also be a special musical programme. Several of Dr. Dager's friends from Bridgewater will attend the lecture.

Harry Fratz will lead the Epworth League meeting next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Spiritual Service.

Madam Helen Stuart-Richings, B. D. A., independent lecturer, will speak in the Grove at "Floral Heights," the residence of Elizabeth M. Fish, near Parkland Station on the Reading Railroad, Sunday, September 20, at 3 p. m. Subject: "What Is Religion?" The public is invited.

Smith-Schade Wedding.

On Wednesday, September 16, Miss Bertha May Schade, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Shade, of 807 Garden street, and D. Clinton Smith, of Bristol, were married at the home of the bride's parents.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Biemuller in the presence of about sixty guests.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Minnie Schade, while the best man was Mr. Wright.

The wedding march was played by Miss Mainmuller, of Philadelphia.

The house was beautifully decorated with golden rod. The bride was the recipient of many useful and beautiful gifts.

Following the ceremony a reception was held and lunch served, and after receiving many congratulations they left for a two weeks' stay at Niagara Falls.

Attempted to Rob Cornwells Church.

Thieves attempted to enter St. Charles R. C. Church, Cornwells, on last Saturday evening.

They first broke open a cellar window, but after getting in the cellar they could get no further as there was no door leading to the upstairs.

They then went to the rear of the church and attempted to pry the knob off the back door and did succeed in bending it, but it is thought they were frightened away, as their efforts ceased there.

There was nothing of value in the church as Father McCue takes every precaution to remove everything of value before dark.

LOST DULL GAME

Bridesburg Team Victorious Over Bristol in Long Uninteresting Game.

Bristol lost a long-drawn-out and uninteresting game to the Bridesburg team last Sunday, 3-2.

A thick haze, due probably to atmospheric conditions, hung over the field during the entire game and obscured the rays of the sun. While the game itself was devoid of any sharp fielding, this with ragged work by both catchers, made what would have ordinarily been an interesting pitchers' battle, between Moser and Sweeney, dull and uninteresting.

Moser had decidedly the better of the argument, the home team finding him for but four safe hits, scattered through as many innings. The visitors' pitcher showed up well at the bat also, having two of the six hits procured off of Sweeney, one for an extra base. Sweeney pitched well, but was unfortunate in having two of the six hits bunched in one inning, the third. Moser's two-base hit, and Hoffmann's single, with two men out, scoring first blood for the "burg" in this inning. A base on balls to Fenton and his steal and Barton's single tied the score in Bristol's half. Hoffmann's wild throw of Hamilton's grounder, McDermott's sacrifice, on which Bendler failed to stop Moser's throw, and Davis' sacrifice fly gave Bristol their second run in the fourth inning. After Hoffman had reached first in the sixth inning and stole second, a wild West had fouled to McDermott, Persico dropped the third strike on Bristow and then foolishly threw to McDermott to catch Hoffman stealing, but failed. McDermott made a wild throw to Davis to put out Bristow and Hoffman scored.

Bridesburg scored the winning run in the seventh, on Bendler's hit and steal, an out and a fielder's choice, on which Fenton made a great stop and throw of Fox's grounder to Persico, but failed to get the runner.

Moser's hitting and Fenton's baserunning was good.

Gus Waldron, formerly manager of the American Bridge Company team, of Trenton, and of the Waldron basket ball team played short in place of Craig, who was sick.

Bristol will play Fairhill, Sunday. This will be the third and deciding game.

BRISTOL.

	ab	b	o	a	e
Fenton, 2b	3	1	1	4	0
Waldron, ss	2	0	0	3	0
Barton, cf	4	2	2	0	0
Hamilton, lf	4	0	1	0	0
McDermott, 3b	3	1	5	2	0
Davis, 1b	3	0	13	0	0
Dolan, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Persico, c	3	0	6	2	1
Sweeney, p	4	0	0	4	0
*Coyle	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	4	27	15	2

BRIDESBURG.

	ab	h	o	a	e
Fox, 2b	3	0	0	6	0
Hackett, cf	3	0	2	0	0
Hoffman, ss	2	1	2	3	1
West, c	4	0	10	0	2
Bristow, lf	4	0	1	1	0
McElaine, 3b	4	1	1	2	1
Krauss, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Bendler, 1b	4	2	0	3	1
Moser, p	3	1	2	0	0
Totals	32	6	27	9	5

*Batted for Persico in the ninth inning.

Bristol	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	—2
Bridesburg	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	—3

Earned runs, Bridesburg, 2. Two-base hit—Moser. Runs scored, Fenton, Hamilton, Bendler, Hoffman, Moser. Missed third strike, Persico, West, 2. Wild throws, McDermott, McElaine, Hoffman. Muffed thrown ball, Bendler. Sacrifice hits—Waldron, McDermott, Davis, Hackett. Stolen bases, Fenton, 3; Fox, Hoffman, 2; Bendler. Left on bases, Bristol, 7; Bridesburg, 5. Struck out by Sweeney, 5; Hackett, Bristow, Krauss, Bendler, Moser. by Moser, 11; Fenton, Waldron, 2; McDermott, Davis, 2; Dolan, Persico, 2; Sweeney, 2. Double plays, McElaine to Hoffman to Bendler. Bases on balls, off Sweeney, 2; Fox, Hoffman; off Moser, 3; Fenton, 2; Waldron, 1. Hit by pitched ball, Hoffman. Umpire, Callahan. Time of game, 1 hour, 50 minutes.

BASE BALL NOTES.

Fenton purloined three bases.

Arrest everybody wearing a straw hat.

Neil Mulligan will do the catching against Fairhill.

It was a toss-up who made the most blunders—West or Persico.

Sweeney struck out all three batters who faced him in the ninth.

Craig will no doubt play as usual the next game. Last week he was sick.

Haug, Bridesburg's regular catcher, was hurt Saturday, and was unable to play.

Moser made fast work of Waldron's bunt in the first inning, scooping it with one hand.

The only home run made this season was made by Bristow on May 10, with Westmoreland.

The No. 2 Fire Company will play the Crescents at Persimmon Park, on Saturday afternoon.

Charles Mifflin, the Bristol pitcher, will be in the box for Bristol, Sunday, in the game with Fairhill.

Yardley won the championship of the Bucks County League, Saturday, by defeating Newtown.

A great piece of club-swinging was done by Persico and Sweeney the first two times they faced Moser.

Bristow and Krauss played here before with Westmoreland. Hoffman formerly played with Westville.

Last Sunday's game was the fifth one decided by one run this season. The other ones were victories for the home team.

Florence will play Burlington tomorrow on the latter's grounds. Sweeney, the Bristol pitcher, will toss them over for Florence.

West was given a trial by Frankford early in the season. No wonder he was not retained, if Sunday's game was a sample of his catching.

McDermott's hit in the ninth inning, at Burlington, Saturday, enabled Millville to tie the score and eventually win the game 2-1.

Sweeney allowed McElaine a hit in the second inning by trying to stop his high bounder. Had he allowed it to go Waldron would have fielded it, he being already set for it.

Fairhill will be the attraction here, Sunday. As each team has won and lost a game the outcome will be watched with interest. Schaffer and Bagley will be the visitor's battery.

Had Waldron made a bunt down the first base line in the seventh inning, with Sweeney on third and Fenton on second, like he made in the first inning, there would probably have been a different tale to tell.

Autoists Meet Tonight.

There will be a meeting of automobile owners tonight at the Bucks County Country Club at Langhorne this evening to form a permanent organization to be known as the Bucks County Automobile Club. The meeting will be called to order at 8.30 o'clock.

Personal Notes.

Misses Mary and Kate Cabeen are at Como, N. J.

Dr. Julia H. Slack is visiting at Milford, N. J., for a week.

Miss Frances Landreth has been spending the week with friends in Fishkill, N. Y.

Mrs. Carl Howell, of New York, was the guest of Mrs. Burnet Landreth, Jr., over Sunday.

James Stephenson, one of the overlookers at Grundy's mill, will sail for a visit to England next Wednesday.

Benjamin J. Taylor, and Miss Taylor, who have been spending the summer at Belmar, N. J., return to Bristol today.

AUTOISTS WANT PROTECTION

Lower End Bucks Countians Organize Association to Get Better Legislation and to Protect Themselves from Ex-

Automobile owners from Bristol, Langhorne, Morrisville, Yardley and other parts of the lower end of the county met at the home of Charles Parsons, near Morrisville, last Monday evening and organized the Bucks County Automobile Club.

Dr. William LeCompte, of Bristol, was made temporary chairman and Charles Parsons as secretary. A meeting will be held this evening at the Bucks County Country Club, at Langhorne, to perfect a permanent organization.

Harry H. Headley, of Bristol; Elwood Watson, of Langhorne; and Norman Esherick were appointed a committee to secure membership of all automobile owners in Bucks county. The Club proposes to incorporate and obtain legal counsel.

A resolution was adopted, stating that means would be taken to protect autoists from the obnoxious enforcement of laws by justices of the peace and to see that officials are elected to office who will justly enforce laws.

Justice of the Peace Fish, of Fallsington, who has been active in fining autoists, was scored, and it was asserted that the supervisors of the township had remarked that the crusade was simply for the purpose of obtaining fines, as the township needs the money. Already $700 has been collected for alleged violations of auto laws.

Those present at the meeting and outspoken against the persecutions of the Fallsington and other township authorities included: Dr. Arthur Wareham, of Yardley; Walter Wareham, of Roelofs; Dr. William LeCompte, of Bristol; Harry Headley, of Bristol; Oscar Wildman, of Morrisville; Henry Howell, of Morrisville; J. M. Bates, of Yardley; Arthur Anderson, of Yardley; Taylor Richards, of Fallsington; Elwood Watson, of Langhorne; William Meredith, of Morrisville; Charles A. Parsons, of Morrisville.

G. D. Bartlett and A. L. Stewart were present as representatives of the Quaker City Automobile Club of Philadelphia and representatives of the Mercer County Automobile Club were also present.

Mr. Bartlett, as a member of the law committee of the Quaker City Club and a member of the board of governors of the same organization, has had long experience before Pennsylvania justices and law courts for clients who have been charged with violations of the Pennsylvania auto law. He said he had never in all of his experience witnessed such a spectacle of perverted justice as emanated from the court of "Judge" Fish, nor observed anywhere a man who under his oath of office to administer justice, would persistently and apparently for the sake of fees, impose fines on his neighbors, friends and acquaintances of the simple right and contrary to the opinion rendered by the office of the Attorney General of Pennsylvania.

All of the autoists present and Mr. Bartlett in particular were outspoken against speeding, but considered it as dangerous for the public and harmful to the roads. The action of the authorities in stopping excessive speeding was warmly commended.

In the general discussion of the hundreds of cases that were reported against "Judge Fish's law" it was disclosed that wholesale arrests were not for searching or excessive speed, but for carrying a New Jersey license tag, although completely obscured, and for the technical violations and failure to sound a horn when passing, however slowly, a crossroad.

A Watermelon Party.

A watermelon party was given, Wednesday evening, September 9th, in honor of Miss Ethel Hill's seventeenth birthday anniversary, at her home, Magnolia. A very enjoyable evening was spent in piano playing, singing, and playing games. The guests departed at a late hour after wishing Miss Hill many more happy birthdays. Miss Hill received many beautiful presents, and also many beautiful post cards.

Those present were: Mrs. Hugh Hill, Mrs. Heisel, Mrs. Thal, Misses Ethel Hill, Katie Schade, Cora Heisel, Sadie Cook, Helen Hill, Irene Heisel, Lizzie Hellings, Edith Heisel, Mae Heisel, Mary Heisel, and Wilhelmina Thal, all of Bristol; Misses Mae Hill and Minnie Schade, of Frankford; Misses Walter Hill, Ernest Hellings, James Hughes, Joe Emberson, Mert Hellings, Clifford Donnelly, John Bruden, Elmer Houser, Jacob Kessler, all of Bristol; Roswell Clemence, of Cornwells; Clarence Brown, Le Grand King, of Hulmeville; Thomas Purcell and Irvin Burley, of Trenton.

Horses Wanted to Board.

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AN ORDINANCE.

GRANTING AUTHORITY TO THE BURGESS TO ISSUE HIS PROCLAMATION RESPECTING THE ORDINANCE CONTROLLING THE RUNNING AT LARGE OF DOGS WITHIN THE BOROUGH LIMITS.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the Burgess and Council of the Borough of Bristol, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That whenever the public well-being and safety requires the enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance, then the Burgess shall issue his proclamation in conformity with the same, requiring its faithful observance, under such regulations as to notice of the time shall apply and its duration, as in his judgment are required.

SECTION 2. After the Burgess shall have issued his proclamation, as provided in section 1st, no dog or bitch shall be permitted to run at large within the Borough limits, but without being properly muzzled with a wire muzzle.

SECTION 3. It shall be the duty of the Constables, or any authorized person of the Borough of Bristol, to destroy or otherwise kill all dogs or bitches found at large contrary to the provisions of section 2 of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. Any person or persons who shall molest, interfere or prevent the Constable or any other authorized person from carrying into effect the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction of the same before any Justice of the Peace of the Borough of Bristol, pay a fine of $30 and costs of prosecution, and on default of such payment, shall be committed to the Borough jail for twenty-four hours.

SECTION 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances, conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed.

Enacted into an ordinance at the Council Chamber this 10th day of January, A. D. 1882.

J. WESLEY WRIGHT, Burgess.
Attest: JESSE C. THOMAS, Clerk.

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THE PURPLE DRESS

By O. HENRY.

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We are to consider the shade known as purple. It is a color justly in repute among the sons and daughters of man. Emperors claim it for their especial dye. Good fellows everywhere seek to bring their noses to the genial hue that follows the commingling of the red and blue. We say of princes that they are born to the purple, and no doubt they are, for the color tinges their faces with the royal hue equally with the snub nosed countenance of a rooted dipper's brat. All women love it—when it is the fashion.

And now purple is being worn. You notice it on the streets. Of course other colors are quite stylish as well—in fact, I saw a lovely thing the other day in olive green alhatross, with a triple topped flounce skirt, trimmed with heart squares of silk, and a draped plebu of lace opening over a thirred vest and double puff sleeves with a nice hand holding two gathered frills. But you see lots of purple too. Oh, yes, you do, just take a walk down Twenty third street any afternoon.

There are Malda—the girl with the big brown eyes and cinnamon colored hair in the Bee Hive store—said to Grace—the girl with the rhinestone brooch and peppermint pepsin flavor to her speech—"I'm going to have a purple dress—a tailor made purple dress—for Thanksgiving."

"Oh, are you," said Grace, putting away seven and 7½ gloves into the 6½ box. "Well, it's me for red. You see more red on 14th avenue. And the men all seem to like it."

"I like purple best," said Malda. "And old Schlegel has promised to make it for $8. It's going to be lovely. I am going to have a plaited skirt and a bolero coat trimmed with a band of galloon under a white cloth collar with two tow ends of—"

"Silk I guess," said Grace, with an educated wink.

"Soutache braid over a surplieed white vest, and a plaited basque and"—

"Sly boots—sly boots!" repeated Grace.

"—plaited gigot sleeves with a drawn velvet sleeve over an inside cuff. What do you mean by saying that?"

"You think Mr. Ramsay likes purple. I heard him say yesterday he thought some of the dark shades of red were stunning."

"I don't care," said Malda. "I prefer purple, and them that don't like it can just take the other side of the street."

Which suggests the thought that, after all the followers of purple may be subject to slight delusions. Danger is near when a maiden thinks she can wear purple regardless of complexions and opinions and when emperors think their purple robes will wear forever.

Malda had saved $18 after eight months of economy, and this had bought the goods for the purple dress and paid Schlegel $4 on the making of it. On the day before Thanksgiving she could have just enough to pay the remaining $4. And then for a holiday in a new dress! Can earth offer anything more enchanting?

Old Rahman, the proprietor of the Bee Hive store, always gave a Thanksgiving dinner to his employees. On every one of the subsequent 364 days, excusing Sundays, he would remind them of the joys of the past banquet and the hopes of the coming ones, thus inciting them to increased enthusiasm in work. The dinner was given in the store on one of the long tables in the middle of the room. They tacked wrapping paper over the front windows, and the turkeys and other good things were brought in the back way from the restaurant on the corner. You will perceive that the Bee Hive was not a fashionable department store, with escalators and pompadours. It was almost small enough to be called an emporium, and you could actually go in there and get waited on and walk out again. And always at the Thanksgiving dinners Mr. Ramsay—

Oh, sother! I should have mentioned Mr. Ramsay first of all. He is more important than purple or green or even the red cranberry sauce.

Mr. Ramsay was the head clerk, and as far as I am concerned I am for him. He never pinched the girls' arms when he passed them in dark corners of the store, and when he told them stories when business was dull and the girls giggled and said, "Oh, pshaw!" it wasn't G. Bernard they meant at all. Besides being a gentleman, Mr. Ramsay was queer and original in other ways. He was a health crank and believed that people should never eat anything that was good for them. He was violently opposed to anybody being comfortable and coming in out of snowstorms or wearing overshoes or taking umbrellas or cuddling themselves in any way. Every one of the girls in the store had little pork chops and fried onion dreams every night of becoming Mrs. Ramsay, for next year old Bachman was going to take him in for a partner, and each one of them knew that if she should catch him she would knock those cranky health notions of his sky high before the wedding cake indigestion was over.

Mr. Ramsay was master of ceremonies at the dinners. Always they had two Italians in to play a violin and harp and had a little dance in the store.

And here were two dresses being conceived to charm Ramsay, one purple and the other red. Of course the other eight girls were going to have dresses, too, but they didn't count. Very likely they'd wear some shirt waist and black skirt affairs—nothing as resplendent as purple or red.

Grace had saved her money too. She was going to buy her dress ready made. Oh, what's the use of bothering with a tailor? When you've got a figger it's easy to get a fit. The ready made are intended for a perfect figger—except I have to have 'em all taken in at the waist. The average figger is so large waisted.

The night before Thanksgiving came Malda's hardest home, keen and bright with the thoughts of the blessed morrow. Her thoughts were not purple, but they were white themselves, the joyous enthusiasm of the young for the pleasures that youth must have or wither. She knew purple would become her, and for the thousandth time she tried to assure herself that it was purple Mr. Ramsay said he liked and not red. She was going home first to get the $4 wrapped in a piece of tissue paper in the bottom drawer of her dresser, and then she was going to pay Schlegel and take the dress home herself.

Grace lived in the same house. She occupied the hall room above Malda's.

At home Malda found clamor and confusion—the landlady's tongue clattering sourly in the halls like a churn dasher dabbling in buttermilk. And then Grace came down to her room crying, with eyes as red as any dress.

"She says I've got to get out," said Grace, "the old beast, because I owe her $4. She's put my trunk in the hall and locked the door. I can't go anywhere else. I haven't got a cent of money."

"You had some yesterday," said Malda.

"I paid it on my dress," said Grace. "I thought she'd wait till next week for the rent."

Sniffle, sniffle, sob, sniffle.

Ont came—out it had to come—Malda's $4.

"You blessed darling!" cried Grace, now a rainbow instead of sunset. "I'll pay the mean old thing and then I'm going to try on my dress. I think it's heavenly. Come up and look at it. I'll pay the money back, a dollar a week—honest I will."

Thanksgiving.

The dinner was to be at noon. At a quarter to 12 Grace switched into Malda's room. Yes, she looked charming. Red was her color. Malda sat by the window in her old cheviot skirt and blue waist darning a st—oh, doing fancy work.

"Why, goodness me, ain't you dressed yet?" shrilled the red one. "How does it fit in the back? Don't you think these velvet tabs look awful swell? Why ain't you dressed, Malda?"

"My dress didn't get finished in time," said Malda. "I'm not going to the dinner."

"That's too bad. Why, I'm awful sorry, Malda. Why don't you put on anything and come along? It's just the store folks, you know, and they won't mind."

"I was set on my purple," said Malda. "If I can't have it I won't go at all. Don't bother about me. Run along or you'll be late. You look awful nice in red."

At her window Malda sat through the long morning and past the time of the dinner at the store. In her mind she could hear the girls shrieking over a pull bone, could hear old Bachman's roar over his own deeply concealed jokes, could see the diamonds of fat Mrs. Bachman, who came to the store only on Thanksgiving days; could see Mr Ramsey moving about alert, kindly, looking to the comfort of all.

At 4 in the afternoon, with an expressionless face and a lifeless air, she slowly made her way to Schlegel's shop and told him she could not pay the $4 due on the dress.

"Gott!" cried Schlegel, angrily. "For what do you look so glum? Take him away. He is ready. Pay me some time. Had I not seen you pass mine shop every day in two years? If I make clothes is it that I do not know how to read peoples' faces? You will pay me some time when you can. Take him away. He is made good, and if you look pretty in him all right. So! Pay me when you can."

Malda breathed a millionth part of the thanks in her heart and hurried away with her dress. As she left the shop a smart dash of rain struck upon her face. She smiled and did not feel it.

Ladies who shop in carriages, you do not understand. It is whose wardrobes are charged to the old man's account, you cannot begin to comprehend, you could not understand, why Malda did not feel the cold dash of the Thanksgiving rain.

At 5 o'clock she went out upon the street wearing her purple dress. The rain had increased, and it beat down upon her in a steady, wind blown pour. People were scurrying home and to cars with close held umbrellas and tight buttoned raincoats. Many of them turned their heads to marvel at this beautiful, serene, happy eyed girl in the purple dress walking through the storm as though she were strolling in a garden under sun ner skies.

I say you do not understand it, ladies of the full purse and varied wardrobe. You do not know what it is to live with a perpetual longing for pretty things—to starve eight months in order to bring a purple dress and a holiday to gether. What difference if it rained, hailed, blew, snowed, yelowed?

Malda had no umbrella nor overshoes. She had her purple dress and she walked abroad. Let the elements do their worst. A starved heart must have one crumb during a year. The rain ran down and dripped from her fingers.

Some one turned a corner and blocked her way. She looked up into Mr. Ramsay's eyes, sparkling with admiration and interest.

"Why, Miss Malda," said he, "you look simply magnificent in your new dress. I was greatly disappointed not to see you at our dinner. And of all the girls I ever knew you show the greatest sense and intelligence. There is nothing more healthful and invigorating than braving the weather as you are doing. May I walk with you?"

And Malda blushed and sneezed.

Let Us Hope So.

"William," she said "means good. James means beloved. I wonder"—

A flush mantled her cheek.

"I wonder," she softly murmured, "what George means?"

"George means business, I hope," said mother, looking up from the wedding announcements in the evening paper.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

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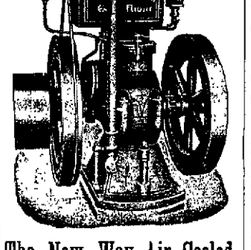

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Will be at the above named places from 9 o'clock a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m. and on Saturdays from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 o'clock m. except where different time is specified on bills, for payment of taxes until October 1st, and on Saturdays must be accompanied by postage for reply, and in all cases the district wherein the property is taxed must be distinctly given. Communications with money for taxes will not be received at the Treasurer's Office after August 20th.

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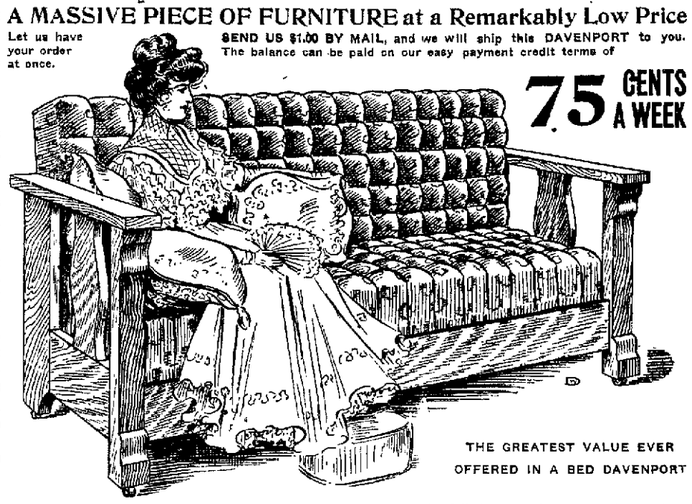

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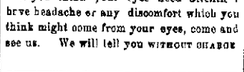

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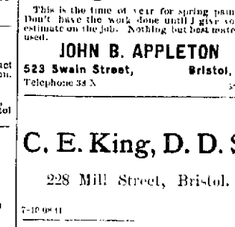

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Langhorne.

Mrs. Thomas Gumper has been ill.

Miss Ethel M. Taylor is ill.

Henry Garrett will move to Philadelphia this fall.

Mrs. Anna Roberts is having painting done to her residence.

Dr. and Mrs. LeCompte have been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Ely, who has been visiting relatives at Wycombe, has returned.

Mary Travilla spoke very interestingly at the Friends' Meeting on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles W. Sharpless is spending the week with friends in Lovell.

Dr. and Mrs. Cooper, of Trenton, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reifsnyder.

Norris T. Henderson will leave the city on Thursday after spending the summer here.

Mrs. Mary Hockley and daughter, Virginia, is visiting her brother, E. Cooper Sharpley.

Michael Dempsey and family, of Philadelphia, passed the summer at their home on Thursday.

Mrs. Silas Tomlinson and daughter, Josephine, of Philadelphia, are visiting relatives here.

The C. L. of the M. E. Church will hold their regular monthly business meeting on Tuesday at the church.

Mrs. Grace Kenyon and daughter, Kruzer, of Newtown, have been visiting their aunt Mrs. Rachel Kenyon.

Dr. S. LeRoy Ridge and wife and H. Ridge entertained a few friends at dinner at the B. C. C. C.

Mrs. Bertie Gatchell, who has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lyons, has returned to her home in Philadelphia.

After October 1 the Langhorne post office will be open on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday afternoons instead of on alternate evenings.

Charles Hill Lovett won the golf tournament on the Bala-Cynwyd links on the B. C. C. C. The cup was presented by the citizens committee.

Mrs. John Stackhouse and Miss Stackhouse have returned to their home after an absence of several months visiting relatives in Fully.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Matthews and daughter, Alyce Matthews, are motoring through the state of Orange, Berkshire, Green and Mountains.

Mr. Geysinger will move from Edwin Livezey property to Vandine's on Marshall's road. K. Hackett will occupy house vacated by Mr. Geysinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Lukens and Miss Edgar H. Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lukens and Edith Stewart have returned from several weeks outing at the shore.

The work is progressing rapidly on the streets of Middle Langhorne under the direction of Rickie and Swain of Trevose and is so glad to know that little or no hardship is made concerning any one who has to travel during its construction.

Walter E. Dickey, aged 19 years, of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dickey, of Newtown, died on Saturday in a Philadelphia hospital as the result of an operation performed on him by Dr. Dercum, of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. Mr. Dickey was employed at the Malleable Iron Works. Much sympathy is felt for the parents in their bereavement.

The semi-annual conference of the Friends First-day School Association will be held at Bristol, September 26th. Two sessions at 10 and 2 o'clock. Jane Rushmore, of Philadelphia, and others will address the meeting. The delegates from our school are Mrs. William H. Hayhurst, Mrs. Edwin Livezey, Clara Cheesman and Anna R. Paxson.

President Roosevelt's new book, Philosopher and Scientist, by Edward Alsworth Ross, is announced that he uses in his work a text book recently published by the Langhorne author, Prof. G. Walters. This book has made quite an appearance in Wa field, of Princeton University, Prof. William James, of Harvard, Prof. Ceasare Tumbroso, of Turin University, Turin, Italy, and leaves Langhorne in the teaching position of exceptional ability.

A dinner tending favor of the most fastidious epicure at the Bucks County Golf Club on Saturday at 6.30 o'clock. Fifty dollars per plate and limited to this opportunity for friendly intercourse. The good wishes combined with cheery notes of Price's contain everyone in the best of health making a very pleasant affair.

The chairman of the Horticultural Committee, Edward Rutledge, in charge of the affair, under the reception dinner found so much to do in contemplating having the dinner and as the cafe very well accommodates sixty, he decided on the method of including those that applying.

The menu included:

Oysters on the half shell
Cream of Tomato
Deville Oval
Sweet Breads
Roast Chicken
Potatoes
Green-gage Punch
Grape Fruit salad
Crackers Cheese Bar-le-Duc
Harlequin Tee Cream
Fancy Cakes
Salted Almonds
Olives

Oxford Valley.

C. E. leader next Sunday, Miss Etta Nowell.

C. Y. Stradling attended the missionary Convention at Oxford last week.

Rev. B. F. Faist, of Bristol, preached in the Chapel in the afternoon.

Mrs. Godwin and Miss Godwin, of Dover, Del., are visiting E. Nowell's.

William Plumly and Davisville, spent Sunday with Stradling's.

Miss Mary Rogers spent the week end as the guest of Miss Palmer, in Langhorne.

Mrs. Elizabeth Blank, sons and two daughters, of Philadelphia, spent Saturday and Sunday with Joseph Schaffer's.

Godfrey Schaffer entertained a number of his friends last Saturday evening at a watermelon party, time is reported.

George Hess and family moved to Philadelphia last Monday. Mrs. Brooks expects to move to Bristol boro and Arty Ahlem will move to the house vacated by Hess.

Iron ore production in the United States, according to the United States Geological Survey, reached a total of from 57,000,000 to 60,000,000 long tons.

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